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## SUN TO DEMAND AN EXPLANATION

Revolutionary Leader of China Would Know Why Yuan Killed Friends

## CIVIL WAR A CERTAINTY

If President's Reasons Are Not Good, Clash Will Come; Expect Assassination of Sun

SHANGHAI, Aug. 19.—Before he left for Peking to demand an accounting from President Yuan Shi Kai for the shooting of his friend, General Cheng Tsen Chu and other republican army officers, Dr. Sun Yat Sen left orders here for an immediate mobilization of the military forces in southern China to be used against the president. If his explanations should prove unsatisfactory, the doctor's agents are rushing this work today in their leader's absence and inside of a week, indications are that 200,000 or 300,000 revolutionists will be under arms and ready.

**Clash Certain**  
The best informed Chinese here say today there is small doubt of an early clash between the northern forces under President Yuan and the southern under Dr. Sun. Rich Chinese from up country are again rushing into foreign Shanghai with all their portable possessions for safety under the guns of the international war fleet. The foreign consuls are on the alert to call in their countrymen from up country at the first news of fighting. Considerable anti-foreign feeling exists and they are undoubtedly in danger.

Dr. Sun is ready to demand President Yuan's impeachment by the advisory council which is made up almost wholly of anti-Yuan men and will undoubtedly do as Sun directs unless Yuan kills or imprisons them. Yuan is much alarmed. The generals he had been killed were invited by him to come into Peking from up country to talk politics. Though they suspected he was trying to establish a dictatorship they trusted to his safe conduct for personal safety. After entertaining them he arrested them, had General Chang and one other shot and sent the others to Hankow to be executed. Vice President Li Yuan is in charge at Hankow and may not have carried out orders.

**Shifts Blame to Li**  
Yuan probably thought he could convince China that they were plotting another revolution. Having failed he is trying to prove that the killings were at the suggestion of Vice President Li but Li repudiates responsibility.

Yuan has long been strong with the northern Chinese. The Manchus were overthrown by the southerners, who chose Sun Yat Sen for president with his capital at Nankin. Yuan, then premier, refused to agree to the emperor's abdication, unless he was made president instead of Sun. The revolutionists distrusted him. Finally Sun yielded rather than have war between north and south.

Now Sun says he is murdering every republican who stands in the way of his establishment of a dictatorship.

**Expect Assassination**  
That Yuan will arrest Sun and have him executed, as he did with Sun's friends, the "Hupei generals," nobody expects. It would create too great a scandal. But that the doctor's assassination will be attempted, it is the almost universal opinion, verging on absolute certainty.

To guard against it a strong body of Sun's friends is being organized to accompany him to Peking. This bodyguard will undertake a perilous mission, too, because the north, and Peking in particular, is Yuan's particular field of power, and he will have his enemies enormously outnumbered.

## TO RAISE HYDROPLANE

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Tugboats today began the task of raising the Crusader III, a hydroplane owned by William M. Work of Akron, Ohio, which struck a log and went down in forty feet of water. The accident occurred just as the Crusader and the Baby Reliance turned into the stretch running bow and bow in the Clarke trophy race for a \$500 purse.

## NEW MEXICO QUAKES

SANTA FE, N. M., Aug. 19.—Dispatches today show that no damage was done by the earthquake which shook a number of Arizona towns yesterday afternoon, throwing the inhabitants to a panic of fear. The most severe shocks were at Gallup, Seligman, Holbrook and Williams, Ariz. They lasted from seven to fifteen seconds.

## REBELS LEAVE PALOMAS

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 19.—Rebels under Major Alvarez today evacuated Palomas, opposite Columbus, N. M., for the second time, the force of 300 moving east to join Colonel Lim's force. No rebels are now in the Casas Grandes country, and federalists have moved north toward Juarez.

## Made Love With Club; Cupid Flees; Judge Fines

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Stone age love making with thumbs as marks of affection doesn't work out right, according to John Mahoney, who knows. It cost him \$50 to find it out. John read the paper of Dr. William F. Waugh, of the Bennett Medical college, in which the dean says under the thin veneer of civilization we are still cave men and women. "Lamm her and she'll love you," was the way John summed up to the dean's advice. John loved Julia Chemeleske, who after "keeping company" with him three years, offered to "be a sister" to him. After reading Dr. Waugh's paper Mahoney started to win his lady's love after the manner of Mr. Stonehatchet. He lammed her. Judge Hopkins fined him \$50.

## MICHIGAN STORM DAMAGE IS LARGE

Two Are Dead and Million Dollars of Property Loss Is Result of Cloud-burst

## THE RAILWAYS ARE TIED UP

Seven Bridges and Miles of Tracks Are Carried Out by Rush of Water

NILES, Mich., Aug. 19.—Damage close to one million dollars, now known to be dead and many injured, is the estimated result today of a heavy storm which swept through the southern part of Michigan last night. At Niles the worst damage was done. A heavy cloudburst occurred here, the gale ranging from late Saturday until Sunday night. Seven railroad bridges were carried away near Niles and miles of railroad and interurban car tracks were washed out, the water in some of the streets of the city being five feet deep. Interurban car service today was tied up.

The two killed by the storm were Herman Villock, 70, and Otto Feather, 34. They had taken refuge in a barn and were struck by lightning.

## POLYGAMY NATION'S HOPE

JENA, Germany, Aug. 19.—That polygamy alone can check a falling birth rate or regenerate a decadent nation was formally resolved by the Mitgar society, in convention here today. The organization has considerable influence among German sociologists, eugenicists and a certain class of the scientific fraternity. The society announced its intention of establishing a colony where polygamy will be practiced, as a means of proving its contention.

## STRIKE UP TO MAYOR

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Whether 14,000 union street car employees, employed on Chicago electric transportation lines go on strike before the end of this week depends on Mayor Harrison today. A committee from the unions left the matter entirely in his hands and whether the men go out depends on the outcome of the conference between Harrison and the presidents of the affected lines, this afternoon.

## PENROSE TO TELL OF CONTRIBUTION

Pennsylvania Senator Will Explain Standard Oil's \$25,000 Aid in 1904

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The national capital today awaited with interest the return of Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania and fulfillment of the promise by the ex-boss of the Keystone state to make a full explanation of why in 1904 he accepted a \$25,000 certificate of deposit from John D. Archbold of the Standard Oil company.

Penrose is Aldrich's successor as leader of the "regulars" in the senate, being chairman of the all powerful finance committee which handles all tariff legislation. His preliminary statement at Atlantic City that probably most of the \$25,000 was used in carrying New York for Roosevelt in 1904, lent additional interest to the senator's announcement that he would either rise to a question of personal privilege on the senate floor to discuss the circumstances of his receipt of Standard Oil money or would give out a statement.

Meanwhile it was said that certain of the progressives were preparing to ask impeachment proceedings against Penrose next session.

## PRaise Schools FOR FIRE DRILLS

Fire Prevention Committee Compliments City High-ly on System of Training

## ADVISE NEW BUILDING CODE

Declared that Present Laws Governing Building Are Antiquated and In-efficient

"We desire to compliment the city of La Crosse on its splendid school system and its efficient board of education and corps of teachers. In our inspection of schoolhouses, we were particularly impressed with the system of fire drills. The actual time consumed in getting all pupils out of the several public school buildings during fire drills ranged from thirty-five to seventy seconds, a fact which is highly complimentary to the city."

The above paragraph is the conclusion of the inspection committee of the Wisconsin state fire prevention association, which examined into the fire prevention conditions of this city April 24 and 25. The report has just been made public, copies of it having been received by Mayor Dengler and city officials today.

## Urge New Building Code

Among the recommendations of the report are the following:  
An entire new building code for the city. The present building law is declared to be antiquated and conflicting.  
Employment of building inspector.  
Enforcement of electrical inspection. The report says "even new work is poorly done; old work is very defective and dangerous."  
Ordinance should be enacted for storage explosives, and enforcement made obligatory on city fire marshals.

## Inspection Needed

The report sees a need for stricter and more frequent inspection of buildings within the fire limits of the city. Concerning this department of fire prevention, the report says:

Inspection work: The congested or business district of the city should be inspected each month by members of the fire department.  
An ordinance providing for such inspection, keeping records of all such work, giving said inspectors adequate powers to enter buildings and order a remedy for hazardous conditions, and further providing an adequate penalty for non-compliance with such order should be enacted at an early date.

In making our recommendations for improvements we have been guided to a considerable extent by the report of the national board, as conditions discovered at that time respecting the fire department are, with few exceptions, still existing. From the best information obtainable the chief in times past has been a most capable fire fighter and has maintained a high standard throughout the department. There is no assistant chief, the captain at No. 1 assuming that duty in absence of the chief. The latter gentleman seems to be in closer touch with the details of the entire department than the chief. He is recognized as a very valuable assistant and should be promoted to that position.

The time spent for inspection work was learned to be limited to one-half day twice a month, for the captain and lieutenant at each of the five stations, being the equivalent of one man for ten days in each month. This in our opinion is entirely inadequate and should be very much increased without delay.

## Should Replace Apparatus

Among the fire apparatus there are two old style Silsby steamers, both of which were found insufficient and unable to deliver their capacity at a test made by the engineers last September. These should be replaced with apparatus of modern type and increased capacity. There is a very apparent need of additional chemical apparatus at nearly all stations. This is conceded by the men at the various stations. The horses, with the exception of the team at Station No. 2, were found to be in good condition and we were informed they were negotiating for a new team to replace the one under reference. The chief in his recommendations to the common council last year recommended an automobile conveyance for his use in connection with the fire department work, but was denied the request with the response that no fire apparatus would be contracted for until the matter of new water works, pumping station and connections had been disposed of. We are hopeful, however, that the matter will receive the attention of the council within the current year, and we understand that the plans which will be suggested by Supervising Engineer Alvord will enable the city of La Crosse to save about \$25,000 out of the amount appropriated for the water works system, which may by special provision then be used for new fire apparatus.

The fire alarm system is containing.

## Seventh Of Suicide Club Kills Himself

FRANKLIN, La., Aug. 19.—When the body of Garland Frere, who killed himself on a steamship enroute from Panama, was brought to his home here Saturday it became known that Frere was the last member of a "suicide club" of seven, to take his life. The members of the strange society were all prominent young men here and had for their motto the Spartan declaration, "To do or die."

Frere was rejected by a young woman with whom he is said to have been deeply in love. He considered this a failure and hanged himself.

## ENGLISH OFFICER KILLS HIS FAMILY

Captain of Hightland Regiment Burns Five After Shooting His Wife and Children

## WAS INSANE OVER HIS RUIN

He Leaves Note Saying that Wealth Is Gone and Is Believed to Have Perished

EASTBOURNE, England, Aug. 19.—Captain Hicks Murray of the Gordon Highlanders shot his two children dead today, wounded his wife and then set fire to his house, burning the bodies of the two children, a third child, a woman who has not yet been identified, and either himself or a man of about his own height and weight.

Mrs. Murray alone was rescued. She said she did not know anyone but the members of the Murray family were in the house when it was burned. From Varley Kirtland, the agent who had the renting of the plant in charge, it was learned, however, that Richard C. Mackie, an American, with wife and child, had been occupying the premises.

The police are convinced that the unidentified woman is Mrs. Mackie, and the child hers. Whether the man's body taken from the ruins is Murray's or Mackie's is uncertain, however. It is burned beyond recognition.

Mrs. Murray said she woke at 5:30 a. m. today and asked her husband for a cup of tea. In an instant he flew into a frenzy, seized his pistol and shot the children and herself. She remembers nothing further. Investigation by the police showed, however, that the murderer must have laid the bodies of his victims in a row and covered them with petroleum before starting the fire. The police incline to the view that the man's corpse is Mackie and that Murray escaped. Mrs. Murray believes that her husband killed himself after firing the house.

An unburned and unsigned note was found, presumably written by Murray, reading: "I am absolutely ruined, so am killing all who are dependent on me. I would like to have them buried in the same grave. God forgive me."

The theory advanced by the police, after full investigation, is that the sole survivor of the tragedy is not Mrs. Murray, but Miss Florence Taylor. Captain Murray himself engaged the house under the name of Mackie, the officers say they now believe, representing that Miss Taylor, with whom they assert he was living and by whom he had had a child, was his wife.

Mrs. Murray arrived unexpectedly with her two children, the police conjecture, whereupon Murray killed all three children, his wife, wounded Miss Taylor and then committed suicide.

## POWER COMPANY MAY REORGANIZE

Foreclosure Sale of Property Ordered for Oct. 11 at Black River Falls

A foreclosure sale of all the property of the La Crosse Water Power company will be held at Black River Falls, Oct. 11, in compliance with a decision of Judge A. L. Sanborn, Madison. Over a year ago, financial difficulties of the company led to the appointment of a receiver at the instigation of the State Bank of Chicago, trustees for the stockholders. The same institution was instrumental in bringing about the foreclosure proceedings, which will eventually mean the dissolution or reorganization of the La Crosse Water Power company. Adverse river conditions are attributed as the cause of the weak finances of the company which resulted in failure of interest payments on bonds April 1, 1911, at which time C. C. Smith was appointed receiver. The company was originally incorporated at \$3,000,000.

## GRAFF'S ANSWER IS CALLED FALSE

District Attorney Thompson Says Dahl Campaigner Is Trying to Get Out of Hole

## GRAFF DENIES INSINUATION

Says Saturday's Articles Were Apparently Malicious and Full of Mis-statements

"Utterly false and something he must have thought of after he was exposed," was the way District Attorney James Thompson stamped several statements made by Mr. Einar Graff on being shown an article which was written for publication today in answer to the story of his insinuations against Congressman John J. Esch Saturday. The statement which today aroused Mr. Thompson's anger was brought to the office of the Tribune in the shape of a clipping out of the Leader-Press, the stalwart organ of La Crosse county. He said that it was run in the mail edition of that paper today and that it would doubtless appear in the regular edition this afternoon. Mr. Graff requested that the same statement be run in the Tribune, "in order that justice might be done both sides in the controversy."

"I have Mr. Graff's original statement, taken down in shorthand, which I have neither added to nor taken from, and it speaks for itself," said District Attorney Thompson today. "It was the statement published in the Saturday papers."

**Desires Fair Play**  
"I have no personal interest in this matter, one way or the other and only desire fair play. I think I understand the English language and I made a true report of Mr. Graff's statements and attitude when in my office. I believe that the people here know me well enough to know that I told the truth."

"It does not matter what Mr. Graff now says he said. I know what he said and did when he was here. His statement that I began a vicious denunciation of Mr. Dahl as soon as he introduced himself is absolutely false, as his statement that I did not tell him to tell Mr. Dahl that I would use every endeavor to help nominate Mr. Esch. I did not ask him what conclusion he came to after the insinuation that Mr. Esch and Judge McCoy were associated in the Sparta land deal. He made his statement as it appeared in the Saturday papers and told me to draw my own conclusions."

"I think that he realizes that he has 'put his foot in it' and is trying by the same methods that characterize his campaign efforts to get out of it. There is no question in my mind that he meant to cast a doubt on Mr. Esch's honesty, which anyone knows is above question. He did not come to my office for information on this subject because I know of several other men he approached with the same insinuations. I have heard that he got nearly as warm a reception several other places in this city as he did in my office."

The clipping Mr. Graff brought to the Tribune today is reprinted in full as follows:

## Graff's Statement

"Editor Leader-Press: The article in La Crosse newspapers Saturday evening purporting to be an interview between Mr. James Thompson and myself is apparently malicious and full of misstatements. In its insinuations it is grossly unjust to Mr. Dahl, who has always been a champion of justice and fair play. In fairness to Mr. Dahl and myself, I state the following facts:  
"On Thursday of last week I called upon Mr. Thompson. I handed him a letter of introduction. He hardly finished reading it before he began a vicious personal denunciation of Mr. Dahl. I replied to his attacks, and took issue with him on the congressional situation, pointing out Mr. Dahl's consistent and uncompromising progressive record and particularly the absence of any dodging or straddling on the great progressive issues in the political contests of this state.

In the course of our talk I mentioned the fact that in Tomah I had heard considerable discussion concerning the government's purchase of the Sparta military reservation. Mr. Thompson asked me what I had heard in regard to this. I told him precisely what I had heard. I told him further that Mr. Dahl had never said one word to me concerning this subject. I took pains to ask Mr. Thompson to note this fact. I had mentioned this matter up to this time to no one but Mr. Thompson. "In justice to Mr. Esch and for my own information I asked Mr. Thompson what he knew about the matter. Mr. Thompson replied by asking me what I had heard. I told him that I had no definite information, but that Capt. Soule of Tomah had said that a certain waste and valueless tract of land lying between Tomah and Sparta had been bought at a price averaging several dollars an acre and had been sold to the government at a price approximately of twelve dollars an acre. I further stated that I had heard that Mr. Esch and Judge McCoy were close friends. Mr. Thompson

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## Automobile Found Abandoned on Road

"Found—An automobile containing an empty 'picnic' bottle and a case of pint beer bottles, also empty." This is the information imparted today by A. Brasin, a farmer residing five miles east of La Crosse on the South Salem road. Mr. Brasin upon arising this morning discovered the car lying on its side in a nearby ditch with part of the contents strewn along the road. The car, which to all appearances had been abandoned, carried the number 5,866 Wis. The car was somewhat damaged by the accident. At noon today a man who said he was from West Salem, but refusing to give his name, came to claim the car. He said three other men were with him at the time of the spill but that no one was hurt. He admitted that all in the party were intoxicated last night.

## DEPUTY MARSHALL FOUND MURDERED

Negro Bandit Suspected of Killing Cassville Officer to Evade Arrest

## ASSAILANT IS AT LARGE

Other Officers Find Comrade Fatally Slashed with Razor; Posse on Trail

CASSVILLE, Wis., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—This city is in a furore over the death of Deputy City Marshal William H. Loid, who was killed while on duty late yesterday afternoon. It is thought that his murderer is a negro hobo, suspected by the authorities of having been guilty of a holdup Saturday night.

Deputy Loid, with City Marshal Nelson Lau and Justice Craig went to the camp of the negro suspect and several others late yesterday afternoon to search their belongings for money and valuables stolen in a hold-up which took place near the camp. Deputy Loid was stationed near the camp while the two other officers carried on their search of the negro's belongings.

The negro became alarmed when some of the stolen stuff was produced from his pack and made off through the woods toward where Loid was stationed. Marshall Lau fired two shots at him, but both missed. When the officers went back to where Loid had been stationed they found him lying on the ground at his last gasp. There was a deep slash across his face, believed to have been made by a razor in the hands of the negro. It is thought that Loid grappled with the black when he attempted to escape, and was fatally slashed before he had a chance to draw his gun.

Posses are out after the alleged assailant, and officials of neighboring towns have been warned to be on the lookout for him.

The dead man was a brother-in-law of Dr. W. P. Hartford of this city. He is survived by a widow and two children. An inquest will be held today when the county coroner arrives.

## WOULD LIFT CUP

LONDON, Aug. 19.—To arrange for another attempt to lift the Amerit cup, Sir Thomas Lipton has decided to visit the United States in the fall, it was announced today.

## MAY NOT TRY DARROW CASE

Believed that Case Against Lawyer for the Bain Bribery Will Fall Through

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 19.—Despite the announcement of District Attorney Fredericks that he will prosecute Clarence S. Darrow on the charge of having bribed Juror Robert Bain in the McNamara case, there is a strong impression that the case will never come to trial.

When Judge Hutton's court convened today, Fredericks said he was prepared to ask that the opening of the trial be set for an early date. He would not indicate, however, when he thought the date would be. The trial of Darrow on the Lockwood charge, which ended Saturday with an acquittal, was so long and costly that the general belief is that the prosecutor will abandon the Bain case.

## WOMAN SHOTS LAWYER

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—District Attorney Alfred C. Fuchs of the Borough of Richmond, Staten Island, today was shot and seriously wounded by Mrs. Elizabeth Edmunds, who explained that the attorney had not settled a law suit to her liking.

## COMPROMISE ON ONE BATTLESHIP

Senate and House Reach Agreement to End Long Deadlock on Navy Bill

## COST WILL BE \$15,000,000

New Ship Will Not Be a Super-Dreadnaught as Was Planned at First

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The senate late this afternoon adopted the naval appropriation bill, providing for the building of one dreadnaught battleship. Adoption of the committee provision is considered certain in the house and the measure will probably go to the president tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Senate and house conferees today agreed to compromise on one \$15,000,000 battleship in the naval appropriation bill, paving the way for termination of the long deadlock on that measure. The senate conferees who have stood for two dreadnaughts, accepted the compromise at a brief session today. The one ship will not be a super-dreadnaught, as originally planned.

Representative Padgett, one of the conferees, said that provisions for six submarines, a million dollar wireless system, embracing Panama, Hawaii and the Philippines, building of two colliers, and an increase of 4,000 enlisted men for the army, were all retained in the bill. Congress hoped to enter the home stretch today. Adjournment by Saturday was the program. Possible White house vetoes were the only hitch. Business for the get away switched today to the senate. The house is marking time.

Beginning with the budget bill, the passage of this measure before night was expected. It contained the commerce court abolishment provision and is scheduled for a second veto. Then the attempt will be made by Wednesday to pass the bill over the veto. If this program is unsuccessful, the third budget bill, minus the commerce court provision, will go through with a whizz.

Before the president today was the Panama canal bill, which passed the house late Saturday night. Taft was undecided whether to sign or disapprove the measure. He believes the free tolls provision may be in violation of the treaty agreement. A suggestion which may save a possible veto and which was discussed informally at the capital today was to pass a resolution declaring that in enacting the Panama bill congress had no intention of abrogating the Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

## BRITAIN TO EXHIBIT

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The foreign office notified the United States embassy today that the British government accepts "in principle" the invitation to participate in the Panama canal exposition. A formal acceptance is delayed, however, until the Panama committee has been consulted concerning the space available.

## WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Showers this afternoon or tonight with lower temperature tonight; Tuesday fair.

For Wisconsin: Showers this afternoon and tonight; Tuesday probably fair; cooler southwest portion tonight.

For Minnesota: Showers this afternoon or tonight; Tuesday probably fair.

For Iowa: Generally fair tonight and Tuesday, except showers extreme east portion tonight; cooler tonight.

**Weather Conditions**  
Showers and local thunderstorms have been general during the past 24 hours through the northern half of the country from Manitoba to the north Atlantic coast and rain continues in northern Montana, northern north Dakota, the upper Mississippi valley and west lake region. The rainfall was generally moderate except northeastern Iowa and southwestern Wisconsin. Dubuque reports a rainfall of 5.16 inches and Prairie du Chien, 3.70 inches. A moderate depression is central this morning in the vicinity of St. Paul while area of relatively high pressure is central in the extreme southeast and off the north Pacific coast.

The storm in this vicinity will likely cause showers this afternoon or tonight followed by fair weather Tuesday. Temperature will be somewhat cooler tonight.

**River**  
Flood 24-Hour Stations. Stage, Height, Change.  
St. Paul ... 14 1.6 -0.1  
Red Wing ... 14 3.0 -0.1  
La Crosse ... 12 4.0 -0.1  
St. Louis ... 30 9.7 -0.3

**River Forecast**  
The river stages will not change materially during the next 48 hours.



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\$1.25 Hats at 25c

75c Chiffons at 25c

\$2.50 Fancy Ostrich Feathers 95c

### USE FOR SHOPPING GLOVES

Mr. Compton's Simpler Method at Bargain Counter Rejected With the Scorn It Deserved.

From his easy chair Mr. Compton watched his wife putting on a pair of tan gloves. "Aren't they too large for you?" he asked lazily.

"Oh, no, not for shopping gloves," said Mrs. Compton, and with her fingers off the table, she ran a scale up and down several times. "I have to be able to do that, you see," she explained.

"Do finger exercises? What for?" asked Mr. Compton.

"Those aren't finger exercises," Mrs. Compton's color deepened as, taking off the gloves, she began to smooth and stretch the fingers. "Those are—why, they're calculations, Henry. Don't you see, if I start downtown with ten dollars, and go to the silk counter and find two lovely remnants, one for three dollars and one for four and a half, I want to reckon up at once, underneath the counter, how much they'll come to, and how much I'll have left. And last week I missed a great bargain because I had on some tight gloves and I couldn't reckon. I hadn't expected to go to the sale."

"Ah," said Mr. Compton. "Why not ask the clerk to reckon it for you?"

"Henry!" cried his wife. "At a bargain counter! The clerk! Why, nobody but a man would ever think of such a thing for a minute!"—Youth's Companion.

### MADE UP OF MIXED RACES

Similarity Between French and American Nations Is Accounted For in That Way.

A notable French visitor speaks with surprise of the many points of similarity between the French people and the Americans.

He is merely making the obverse of a discovery which has puzzled many thousands of American travelers. The French and American peoples, with all their manifest differences, are oddly like each other in many ways.

Perhaps the explanation lies in the fact that both peoples are compounded of many and distinct races, fused together in a single nationality.

The mixture of races which has gone on in America is known to all. But an American is prone to forget that a similar mixture has been in progress for a much longer time in France.

Three great races, Teutonic, Celtic and Latin, are represented today in the population of France.

Twenty nationalities have fused to make the French nationality. A dozen tribes of Gauls, the Romans, Franks, Burgundians, Normans, and others literally too numerous to mention, have been mixed and melted together to form France.

Similar mixtures produce similar results. That would appear to be the formula for the resemblances between France and America.

## DISTRIBUTION OF FOOD RAISES COST

New York Food Commission Declares Corner Grocery to Blame for High Prices

### URGES LARGE ESTABLISHMENT

Food Department Store Is Way Out of Difficulty Advocated by the Committee

Having investigated the present actual conditions of the supply, marketing and distribution of food to the consumer in New York City and the other chief centers of population in New York state, the committee on markets prices and costs, the special sub-division of the state food investigating commission, has now reached definite conclusions and formulated them in its report with recommendations for legislative action. To meet the general complaint of the increasing cost of living the committee's prices are raised to the consumer by inadequate and uneconomical facilities and methods of distribution. This involved public hearings with the ample means and opportunities afforded by the authority of the state, a personal examination of the facts and a statistical investigation of prices from the terminal to the consumer.

#### Examined Selling System

A close comparison was also made between the various modes of marketing food at wholesale and retail by public and private organizations. The variety and universality of the marketing process in New York City afforded a most valuable field for the examination and demanded the greatest share of attention, which it received. The other cities of the state as well as the country districts coming under the reflex of the cities as affected in the regulation of market prices came within the purview of the committee and have proportionately received due attention.

The committee found that the marketing agencies of Greater New York, the second greatest consuming center of the world, are covered by thirteen classes of food distributors ranging from the municipal wholesale markets, the wholesale markets conducted by railway and steamship lines and the farmers markets, to the corner grocery and pushcart types through the intermediate grades of stores.

#### Large Store Best

Among these distributing agencies the markets committee reached the conclusion as the result of its minute investigation that the large retail unit or food department store buying direct, receiving direct, and selling direct is the best economic type in point of efficiency, minimum of waste, satisfactory distribution and due rewards for management and capital. Towards the development of such stores the committee believes retailers, wholesalers and private organizations should move.

To compensate for the comparative neglect which the municipal interest of marketing has suffered in comparison with those of transportation, police, streets, docks, water and others the committee recommends that the charters of the various cities of the state be amended so as to provide for department of markets charged with the economic and sanitary supervision of food supplies used in the municipalities.

#### To Help Producers

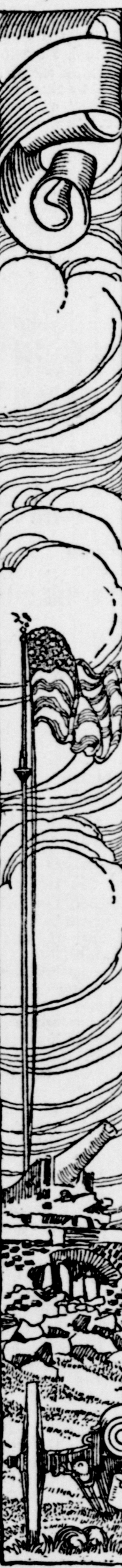
The department of markets, it is further recommended, should be charged with the duty of publishing accurate statements of market needs and prices to be sent to producers of food supplies so that they may be protected from extortion and offered facilities for marketing, the committee finds that the primary or wholesale prices should be fixed by systematic auction in lots suitable for purchase by retailers.

Such auctions should be conducted under the auspices of the city or of a public organization, not for profit, so that this auction in which all parties interested should have a voice would constitute, on primary prices, a producers and consumers market. The system is successfully practiced in foreign metropolitan markets. Finally, the committee recommends that the railroad and steamship lines entering the cities or the state should be encouraged and required to provide adequate facilities for the prompt deliveries of food products for their sale by auction on the premises, for temporary storage, both cold and general, to carry over one or two days supply and for the publication of bulletins showing supplies to arrive.

#### Against Public Markets

Adopting as a guiding principle the elimination of all that tends to the unnecessary stoppage in transit, as multiplied transfers and delays must increase the ultimate cost to the consumer, the committee expresses itself adversely to the construction of public market structures and terminals that might impose heavy fixed charges on the community and be incapable of changing with altered conditions of population and habits. The history of New York's markets is given as a warning example. It is pointed out that for the most part the buildings in the wholesale district where the transportation terminals are located on the extreme south westerly edge of Manhattan are old, ill-built or ill-planned and none of them are located on railroad tracks or pier heads. If the matter were in the hands of a powerful commercial agency, the wholesale plant, for food handling

Spotsylvania  
May, 1864



## "A Tribute to the Men for Whom Waiting Women Wept"

Cold Harbor  
June, 1864

BUT to Spotsylvania, history will accord the palm, I am sure, for having furnished an unexampled muzzle-to-muzzle fire; the longest roll of incessant, unbroken musketry; the most splendid exhibition of individual heroism and personal daring by large numbers, who, standing in the freshly spilt blood of their fellows, faced for so long a period and at so short a range the flaming rifles as they heralded the decrees of death.

The heroism was confined to neither side. It was exhibited by both armies, and in that hand-to-hand struggle for the possession of the breastworks it seemed almost universal.—Gen. J. B. Gordon, C. S. A., in "Reminiscences of the Civil War."

## The Bloody Angle at Spotsylvania

### A Hand-to-Hand Contest That Resulted In Unparalleled and Wholesale Slaughter.

Without Urging by Officers, and Sometimes Without Officers, the Men Fell Into Line and Fought and Bled and Died in Myriads as Though Inspired By Some Unseen Power.

MANY vivid and picturesque descriptions of the fighting at the angle have been written, some by eye-witnesses, others by able historians, but no printed page, no cold type can convey to the mind the realities of that terrible conflict.

The opposing forces fought like demons for twenty hours. Over the entrenchments they shot, stabbed and slashed at each other with the fury of fiends fresh from hell. In the terrible musket fire trees, a foot and a half in diameter, were cut down, and still the contestants held on—the Confederates unable to drive the Federals, the Federals unable to drive the Confederates.

The pity of it all was manifested by the shocking scene on that battlefield the next day. This hitherto quiet spot of earth was devastated and covered with the slain, weltering in their own blood. Piles of dead lay around the veritable "Hell's Hole" on both sides of the entrenchments, four layers deep in some places, shattered and torn by bullets and hoofs and clubbed muskets, while beneath the layers

of dead there could be seen the quivering limbs of those who still lived.

The battle is said to have been the most awful in duration and intensity in modern times. Battle-line after battle-line, bravely obeying orders, was annihilated. The entrenchments were shivered and shattered, trunks of trees carved into split brooms. Sometimes the contestants came so close together that their muskets met, muzzle to muzzle, and their flags almost intertwined with each other as they waved in the breeze.

If you want to go all through this battle, see everything that transpired, from the first scouting party to the last gun fired, and learn all about Grant's attack and repulse at the

#### Battle of Cold Harbor—

where, from front, from right and left, Confederate artillery crashed and swept the field, musketry and grape hewed and mangled and mowed down the line of blue, don't fail to secure

#### Section 12

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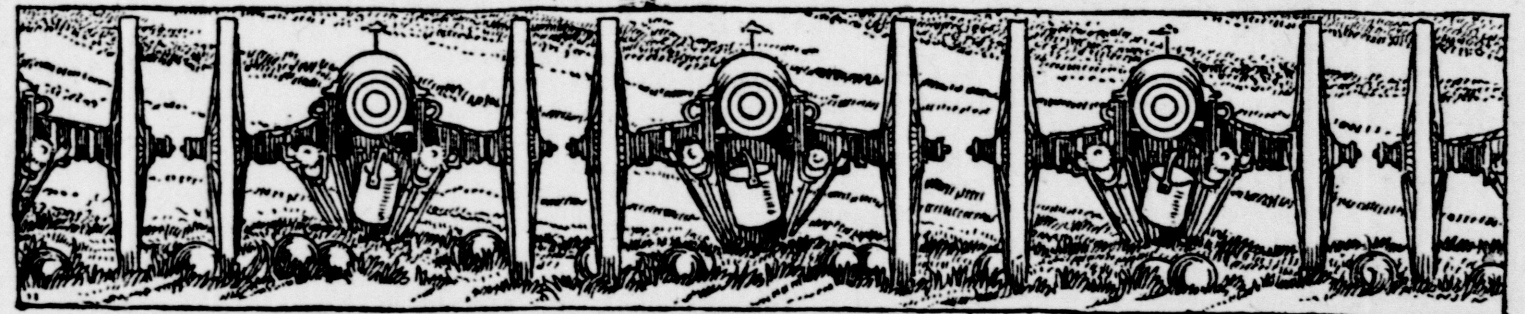
In this section not only show the country over which these two great battles—Spotsylvania and Cold Har-

bor—were fought, and the actors in the tragedy, but each photograph is further vitalized by a detailed and authentic description of the persons, scenes and places represented.

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in the city would, with two exceptions, be scrapped."

#### Lower Distribution Cost

The fundamental aim, then, in seeking the reduction of the cost of food is to minimize the cost of distribution. The committee estimates that the annual food supply of the Greater New York costs at the transportation terminals \$350,000,000 or over, and that it costs in the consumers' kitchen \$500,000,000 or over. The testimony taken at the hearings, the committee thinks, shows that this addition of about forty-five per cent to the price is chiefly made by cost of handling and not by profits. In fact, the evidence showed that the smaller retailers are barely making wages, the corner groceries being generally a mere means of gaining a family livelihood.

The suggested substitution of large unit retail stores capable of supplying 25,000 to 50,000 people and each with cold and general storage facilities would, the committee finds, bring about a system of food distribution at a cost of fifteen per cent without delivery and twenty per cent with delivery as against a cost of twenty-five to thirty per cent for the present separate wholesale and retail system without delivery and at a cost of thirty-five to forty per cent with delivery. Witnesses before the committee gave actual figures of operation from which it is inferred that the total cost of wholesaling including profits is probably about ten per cent and of retailing thirty-three per cent added in both cases to the first cost. If the plans adopted by most successful agencies for wholesale and retail distribution respectively should be followed in New York City at large, the committee estimates that the reorganization of the facilities and methods of doing business would result in a saving of \$60,000,000 per annum, or twelve per cent on the present retail prices.

#### Should Increase Supply

While seeking to minimize the in-

termediary costs of transportation, the committee recognizes that a saving from improved facilities is only a part of the problem, and that the real object of the city should be to increase the supply and especially the nearby supply of food products. Not the least valuable portion of the report is that devoted to the market supplies and prices of particular products. The inquiry brought out in a comprehensive form such as it has not hitherto been possible to secure, important information as to the marketing of milk, butter and eggs, and the effects of the cold storage system.

From the sociological point of view many points of interest are to be found in the sections of the report relating to the side issues which have an important bearing on the main economic problem, since the habits of the people, their preferences, customs and idiosyncrasies have all to be taken into account. The influence of the telephone and motor truck upon changing the course of domestic marketing has been immense and experience of store owners and consumers as related by themselves in the testimony recorded by the committee throws a flood of light upon the subject.

Illuminating facts are given about the extension of suburbs and its revival by use of motor trucks giving a longer range of haul to market. That large returns are still possible is shown in the instances quoted, a Woodhaven farmer realizing this July in the Gansevoort market a gross return of \$45 on a load of radishes, lettuce and small cabbage, the cost of marketing being twenty-six and two-thirds per cent; while a Staten Island farmer made \$50 on a one horse wagon of lettuce and beets at a marketing expense of seventeen per cent, and Buffalo farmers bringing in produce within a radius of twenty-five miles net from \$100 to \$150 a load, after spending in the cost of handling ten per cent for all charges.

The committee which has as its chairman, William Church Ashborn, consisted of, in addition to the chairman, Hon. Calvin J. Huson, commissioner of agriculture; and Ezra A. Tuttle, and was assisted by Horace V. Bruce, expert investigator, and Raymond A. Peason, ex-commissioner of agriculture.

#### TRACKED BY POSTAGE STAMPS

Little Peculiarity, but It Meant Much to the Trained Eye of the Watchful Detective.

Whether a man is a criminal or a law-abiding citizen, he ought to take the pains to stick his postage stamps on exactly straight," an old detective said. "If he is straight he won't lose anything by it, and if he is crooked he will gain. When I was in the government service the first thing I found out about a man under suspicion was the way he stuck on his stamps. One of the cleverest swindlers I ever landed was tracked through his postage stamps.

"After you put a stamp on a certain way for a little while it becomes second nature and you stick it on that way unconsciously. That was what that man did. All his stamps were stuck on diagonally, leaving a little triangle of a certain size at the corner of the envelope. He was a slippery fellow and had eluded vigilance for months. One day I happened to be loitering around a postoffice of a country town where I had gone on another trail. The mail came in, and through the little window I watched the postmaster sort it. Presently I spotted an envelope with the stamp stuck on in that triangular fashion. I got the postmark, hiked back to that town, and nabbed my man. If he had put his stamps on straight, probably he never would have been caught."

Some people are light sleepers, even in the dark.

#### LANSING, IOWA.

The Cadet band will give another excursion to La Crosse August 30. A large crowd is expected to attend.

The Misses Alma and Myrtle Gunderson of Waukon are here visiting friends.

Mrs. Guy Leech returned Saturday from Waterville.

William Keller of Lafayette recently lost a valuable horse. On returning home from town the horse dropped dead.

Leonard Mulholland is employed at the Cassidy & Moen livery barn. John Olson of Dubuque is here for a short visit with relatives.

#### STILL AFTER GUNNER

MESTUEN, Mass., Aug. 19.—Both the local police and picked men from New York renewed their efforts today to capture Gyp the Blood and Lefty Louie, the two New York gunmen, as a result of evidence that two men answering the description of the pair, purchased cards here, one of which was later sent to "Bridge" Webber in the west side prison in New York.

#### Transformation.

Summer Boarder—"What kind of fish are those, sonny?" "Mud suckers. But on the bill of fare at the Eagle house they are mountain trout!"—Life.

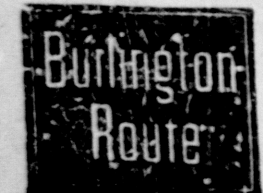


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4—Thur	7,459	20—Sat 7,465
5—Fri	7,456	21—Sunday 7,469
6—Sat	7,456	22—Mon 7,469
7—Sunday	7,465	23—Tues 7,469
8—Mon	7,467	24—Wed 7,465
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11—Thur	7,466	27—Sat 7,464
12—Fri	7,466	28—Sunday 7,468
13—Sat	7,471	29—Mon 7,475
14—Sunday	7,472	30—Tues 7,476
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*Frank H. Burgess*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of August, 1912.

A. E. BLECKMAN,  
Notary Public.

## GET THE MAN HIGHER UP

It is one of the marvels of the age that the two cities of the world claiming the highest civilization—New York and Paris—have pushed Dodge City, N. M., Flagstaff and frontier places off the map as homelike centers. Most of those towns are now peaceful spots where the six-shooter no longer promotes the private graveyard. Texas, the land of Colonel Bowie and Davy Crockett, sends men to jail for gun-toting, playing cards, or drinking in public. Murder has moved to the great cities, particularly to New York. Where policemen and courts are most numerous, where crime should be least, murder walks abroad by daylight, as it never did in the mining town, safe for brief periods.

The cause? It lies in the kind of government New York has for so long been cursed with. Crime attracts criminals. A criminal class breeds and multiplies. No community wants such conditions. New York does not. But New York is not a self governing community. For generations our greatest city has been held helpless in the grip of two corrupt machines—the up-state republican machine, and the Tammany crowd in the city. Both men have been machines of criminals. Not murderers, but followers of the game of big graft. The loot has been the streets, the wharves, and the franchises and contracts of the state and the city.

Honesty has been in eclipse. Big graft has needed little graft for the pay of the smaller fry. Protection to gambling and prostitution is a necessary part of the system—for how else are the city workers to be

## STENOGRAPHER AND CONTRACTOR FLEE

### Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

The Ice man  
Of all the animals that roam  
Upon the earth and call it home.  
Or revel in the ocean's foam,  
I'd rather be the ice man.  
The desert lion reigns supreme,  
At scarin' folks he's one whole team,  
But still, this is no idle dream,  
I'd rather be the ice man.

He backs his wagon to our door,  
About the sleepy hour of four,  
Lets out a yell 'n' then some more,  
This energetic ice man.  
There comes a rumble, then a whack,  
As something heavy hits our shack,  
And sends cold shivers up our back,  
A good aim has the ice man.

Just when a fellow's dreaming nice  
He hears the warning cry of "Ice!"  
Which makes him think about the price  
To settle with the ice man.  
Just when a fellow has forgot  
His troubles and has got a lot  
Of money for to buy a yacht—  
He hears the howling ice man.

He is a monarch in a way,  
Of all the things he can survey,  
He is a king who's come to stay—  
The high and mighty ice man.  
He is the gent that gets the dough,  
It matters not where he may go,  
For just one summer time or so,  
I'd like to be the ice man.

Back Chat  
Robert Henri, the noted artist, was talking, at a dinner in New York about the over-finished work of painters of the Bourgeois type. "Leighton, the English Bourgeois, met Whistler," said Mr. Henri, "one day in Piccadilly. The two men sauntered through the Burlington Arcade, talking art. "But, my dear Whistler," said Leighton, "you leave your work so rough, so sketchy! My dear Whistler, why do you never finish?" "Whistler screwed his glass into his eye and gave a fendish laugh. "My dear Leighton," he said, "why do you ever begin?"

Some Satisfaction  
"Are you the landlord of this hotel?" asked the guest who had his baggage on the porch. "I guess I be," answered the man with pale eyes. "Well, I want to hand this little sentiment to you. Your hotel is positively the worst I have ever seen in this country, and I've traveled all over it." "I know it," answered the landlord. "And I have a kinder pride in it. Lemme tell you something about it. Every time we git beat out a board bill it's sure some satisfaction to know that we got the best of the feller that done it."

Baby Needed an Interpreter  
The best way to learn to speak a foreign language with a pure accent is to learn to speak it in one's childhood. Hence, in Europe—and the custom is also being adopted here—infants have French nurses, German nurses, Italian nurses and so forth. Thus unconsciously and without effort they become superb linguists.

Miss Eleanor Sears, apropos of this wise custom, told a story at a luncheon in Philadelphia. "One afternoon," said Miss Sears, "I dropped in at a young Boston matron's. "Oh," she said, "I'm so glad you've come. Jack's so ill, and I can't make out what ails him. "I've got a car outside," I said. "Shall I run for a doctor?" "No," said the poor young mother. "Run for an interpreter, Jack's Italian nurse is off this afternoon, and none of us can understand what he says."—Washington Star.

The Recall  
Hanging around in the western city, the tourist discovered a former mayor dancing a jig. "You seem in fine spirits," he suggested. "I am," answered the other. "I have just been recalled." "I don't see anything complimentary about that," said the tourist. "Oh, yes there is," the westerner insisted. "This is the second recall." "How is that?" "Well, you see, I was recalled, and then they recalled the recall."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Lawyer Wasn't a Dentist  
One dull day in a law office in a small Kansas town the lawyer and his assistants were much surprised to see entering the door a man with a badly swollen face tied up in a big handkerchief. Before saying anything he sank wearily into a chair. Scouting an assault and battery case, and perhaps a damage suit, the lawyer briskly inquired what he could do for the weary one, and the answer he received was: "Say, is this the place where you pull teeth?" "No," replied the lawyer. "We sometimes help people to cut their teeth, but we never pull them."—Kansas City Star.

LEADER LEAVES NEWPORT  
NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 19.—That Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, prominent society leader, was serious in her announcement that she intends to leave here was made certain today when it was announced that Alexander R. Peacock, wealthy Pittsburg man, has purchased the Fish villa, Crossways. Peacock is here on his private yacht Irene.

SENTENCE ALLEN BANDIT  
WYTHEVILLE, Va., Aug. 19.—Sidney Edwards, one of the Allen gang who shot up Judge Massie's court room at Hillsville, pleaded guilty to manslaughter and was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

## The MAN in the BROWN DERBY

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With a hand that shook a little in spite of me, I undid both locks and dropped them to the floor, swinging the heavy doors wide open.

"Nancy," I whispered; then louder, "Nancy."

But with only the hollow echo of my own voice to answer me, my heart seemed to stop beating; for I thought that surely Nancy must have fainted in that horrible darkness. I took the candle from the trembling hand of the negro and entered the cell on my left hand. An old mattress lay in the corner with a moldering half-loaf of bread beside it. The place was as empty and desolate as a tomb. In the doorway loomed the cook, following me with rolling eyes which glimmered white in the candle-light. I had to push him aside to pass him as I went out. The other cell was absolutely empty. There was not even a mattress there. I held the candle high over my head to peer into its darkest corner.

"Look out," the girl called, in a queer, half-muffled little voice.

And I turned about to find her struggling valiantly with the big black in the very doorway, one crushing arm about her neck and her face almost buried in the folds of the voluminous nightgown. His other hand dragged the door toward them. I reached them with a bound and tore the negro's arm away, and as I did so, some of the hot wax from the candle must have splattered on his hand, for he shrieked aloud. By some dark mental process he had come, I believe, to doubt in the last few moments my supernatural powers, and with the opportunity before him had decided to take this chance of getting rid of me. But that splash of hot grease took all the fight out of him, and again he groveled at my feet.

"It buhns, it buhns," he groaned; "all dem little fiahs of hell is lickin' round me."

I kicked him this time in good earnest. The girl had gently taken the candle away from me, holding it high that I might see better and leaving my hands free. Now she pointed into the cavern of darkness before us.

"In there," she whispered.

I heard a tramping on the floor above. Without more ado, I pushed the negro into the dark room which held the mattress, slammed shut the iron door, and snapped the pad-

## The State Convention OF THE NATIONAL MODERN WOODMEN ASSEMBLY

will meet in this city at Linker Hall, Aug. 20-21 in order to organize Wisconsin.

On Tuesday evening, August 20, Neighbor John L. Sundean will deliver a lecture on the rate question entitled "Stick to the Ship"

Be sure and hear him.

Fraternally,  
THE COMMITTEE.

## Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Find's Jewels on Woman  
NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Seeing one of her gowns and a diamond set locket and chain which had been stolen from her apartments on a woman passerby Mrs. Morris Lehman caused her arrest as a burglar.

Hour-Old Baby Falls  
NEW YORK.—A one hour old baby was blown out of the window but, protected by a pillow, fell three stories without injury.

Cup's Grave Baren  
BRISTOL, Va.—Over in Watuga county, N. C., the grave of a man who made a reputation for profanity during his lifetime is barren of verdure. Grass refuses to grow on the mound.

Motorcycle Goes Swimming  
STAPLETON, S. I.—A motorcycle driven by Gustav Hinkler became unmanageable and raced over a pier into the bay. Hinkler nearly drowned the man who rescued him.

Falls Soft Asleep  
WEST ORANGE, N. J.—A peculiar malady that sends her into sleep without warning, caused Miss Mary Whitford to fall eighty feet over a cliff. She was only slightly hurt.

UNIVERSITY STALLION SOLD  
Valseur (56387) 42833, the pure bred Percheron stallion owned at the University of Wisconsin, was recently sold to William Petzke, North Freedom, Wisconsin. Horsemen of the state are quite familiar with the show and breeding records of this horse. He was imported from France in 1905 by Dunham & Fletcher of Wayne, Ill. The same season he was one of their show horses, and as a three-year-old he won fourth place at the International Pat Stock show in Chicago in a strong class of entries. Shortly after the show he was sold to the Richland County Horse Breeders' association of Richland Center, Wis. In their hands he was shown at the Wisconsin State fair in 1906, and was first prize aged Percheron stallion.

Valseur was purchased by the University in 1909 and has done splendid service in the stud and classroom. His get now being developed made it advisable to offer him for sale at this time. Mr. Petzke is in thorough sympathy with the popular movement for improvement in horse breeding. He purchased Valseur to replace a grade stallion which he has had in service.

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The basement was as intricate as the house above it. The dust of years lay there thick on the concrete floor and piles of miscellaneous lumber. Our path turned from right to left, from left to right again, winding through lanes of barrels and boxes, past latticed store-rooms and boarded bins, circled an antiquated furnace, and came at last to a great square of masonry work, beneath what I judged was the very center of the house. The stone walls ran up solidly to the rafters, and must have enclosed a place about eighteen feet square, divided in the middle, as I soon found out, by another partition of stone, each division having a heavy door of studded iron plates. Both doors were locked and made fast by large, old-fashioned padlocks, and I judged that these dark cells had been originally the wine cellars of that bygone builder of the unlabeled castle. To my relief I found a key hanging between the doors.

With a hand that shook a little in spite of me, I undid both locks and dropped them to the floor, swinging the heavy doors wide open.

"Nancy," I whispered; then louder, "Nancy."

But with only the hollow echo of my own voice to answer me, my heart seemed to stop beating; for I thought that surely Nancy must have fainted in that horrible darkness. I took the candle from the trembling hand of the negro and entered the cell on my left hand. An old mattress lay in the corner with a moldering half-loaf of bread beside it. The place was as empty and desolate as a tomb. In the doorway loomed the cook, following me with rolling eyes which glimmered white in the candle-light. I had to push him aside to pass him as I went out. The other cell was absolutely empty. There was not even a mattress there. I held the candle high over my head to peer into its darkest corner.

"Look out," the girl called, in a queer, half-muffled little voice.

And I turned about to find her struggling valiantly with the big black in the very doorway, one crushing arm about her neck and her face almost buried in the folds of the voluminous nightgown. His other hand dragged the door toward them. I reached them with a bound and tore the negro's arm away, and as I did so, some of the hot wax from the candle must have splattered on his hand, for he shrieked aloud. By some dark mental process he had come, I believe, to doubt in the last few moments my supernatural powers, and with the opportunity before him had decided to take this chance of getting rid of me. But that splash of hot grease took all the fight out of him, and again he groveled at my feet.

"It buhns, it buhns," he groaned; "all dem little fiahs of hell is lickin' round me."

I kicked him this time in good earnest. The girl had gently taken the candle away from me, holding it high that I might see better and leaving my hands free. Now she pointed into the cavern of darkness before us.

"In there," she whispered.

I heard a tramping on the floor above. Without more ado, I pushed the negro into the dark room which held the mattress, slammed shut the iron door, and snapped the pad-

## The State Convention OF THE NATIONAL MODERN WOODMEN ASSEMBLY

will meet in this city at Linker Hall, Aug. 20-21 in order to organize Wisconsin.

On Tuesday evening, August 20, Neighbor John L. Sundean will deliver a lecture on the rate question entitled "Stick to the Ship"

Be sure and hear him.

Fraternally,  
THE COMMITTEE.

## WILSON NOT PROFESSIONAL

SEA GIRT, N. J., Aug. 19.—Gov. Wilson spoke from under the big elm trees on his lawn to the Jersey day crowd Saturday, and reviewed the present progress of New Jersey of the past two years, saying the work to do in the nation is of the same character. About 3,000 persons heard him. "What you have accomplished in New Jersey," said Gov. Wilson, "is merely that you have obtained justice from your government."

"The reason New Jersey got what it wanted was because you elected an amateur as governor, who did not know any better than to keep his promises. And all I can say now is that I promise never to become a professional."

SUFFRAGE BALLOT SEPARATE  
MADISON, Wis., Aug. 19.—In an opinion transmitted to Secretary of State Frear Saturday, Attorney General Brewster ruled that the constitutional amendment granting the right of suffrage to women must go to a vote of the people on a separate ballot and that all other amendments to be voted on at the November election must be placed on the general ballot below the names of the candidates.

TO DIVORCE HITCHCOCK  
NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Flora Zabelle, the actress, in private life Mrs. Raymond Hitchcock, today returning from Europe, said that seven years was the limit for theatrical marriages and that seven months would be better. This followed her announcement that she would immediately sue the comedian for divorce. "Hitchcock and I do not agree financially, theatrically, temperamentally or otherwise," she said.

MARINES FORCE RETREAT  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The steady fire of the 474 American marines and blue jackets encamped around the legation at Managua has forced Nicaraguan rebels to retreat, according to state department dispatches today. Although a number of native women and children were killed, only one American was slightly injured by the city's bombardment.

DOOLITTLE TO HAVE JOB  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—President Taft today indicated to a Michigan delegation that he will probably appoint Dr. E. C. Doolittle as chief chemist in Dr. Harvey W. Wiley's place. Headed by Senators Townsend and Smith, the Michigan men asked the president to name Mr. Doolittle. The president said that he had not entirely made up his mind.

## RESCUE IS BRAVE

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Walter Singer, fire engine driver, rescued John Robinson, a 187 pound tailor, by carrying him from the fifth floor of a burning tenement house early today, down a ladder that was so short it would reach only from floor to floor. The little driver mounted to the fifth floor by hooking the ladder to the lowest window, to which he climbed and then pulled the ladder after him. In this way he reached the burning apartment and then he carried down the unconscious Robinson in the same manner.

THIRTEEN HURT  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 19.—Thirteen persons were injured, one seriously, when a southbound Illinois traction system passenger car ran head on into a northbound car Saturday afternoon at Hawk's station, five miles south of Springfield. The injured were brought to this city. The northbound car was standing on the side track at Hawk's station and the southbound car crashed through an open switch.

BRITTINGHAM RESIGNS?  
MADISON, Wis., Aug. 19.—Governor McGovern has refused to discuss a report that Thomas E. Brittingham of Madison had resigned as university regent before going on an auto trip in the east. Mr. Brittingham was appointed by the governor and still has two years to serve.

## NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION

Office of County Clerk, La Crosse County, State of Wisconsin.

Notice is hereby given that a primary election will be held in the several towns, wards and villages of the said county of La Crosse on the 3rd day of September, 1912, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices to be voted for at the general election to be held on the 5th day of November, 1912:

A GOVERNOR, in place of Francis E. McGovern, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1913.

A LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, in place of Thomas Morris, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1913.

A SECRETARY OF STATE, in place of James A. Frear, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1913.

A STATE TREASURER, in place of Andrew H. Dahl, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1913.

AN ATTORNEY GENERAL, in place of L. H. Bancroft, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, 1913.

A REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, for the Seventh Congressional district, comprised of the counties of La Crosse, Jackson, Monroe, Clark, Vernon, Juneau, Adams and Sauk.

A STATE SENATOR, for the Thirtieth Senatorial district, comprised of the counties of La Crosse

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### WEEK FINANCIAL

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes:

Loans, increase	\$ 1,255,000
Loans, (total)	2,042,281,000
Deposits, increase	10,815,000
Circulation, dec.	186,000
Specie, increase	2,416,000
Legals, decrease	1,067,000
Cash reserve required, increase	1,415,250
Cash surplus, dec.	236,250

A year ago there was an actual surplus, including trust companies, of \$35,432,350, and two years ago a surplus by the banks alone of \$51,065,525.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Weakness was very general on today's stock market and before the two hours of business was over, numerous active shares had declined from 1 to 2 points, with rather active selling at the last. The market closed around the day's lowest. There was nothing in the news of today's movement

## North Side

### TWO WEDDINGS ON THE NORTH SIDE

Miss Nazha Azer Bride of Mazel Haddad; Mary Whim Weds Carl Botars

Miss Nazha Azer, 619 Mill street, and Mazel Haddad, 517 Mill street, were married yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Our Lady of Lourdes church by Rev. Salmone. The wedding was attended by many guests. The couple will reside at 517 Mill street.

Miss Mary Whim of North La Crosse and Carl Botars, 218 Vine street, were married at the St. Elias church yesterday afternoon by Rev. Yenle. Many friends of the couple were present at the wedding. The couple will reside at 218 Vine street. Both weddings were the occasion for a big celebration in the Syrian and Greek colonies on the north side.

### \$1,250,000 CARGO OF SILK ON TRAIN

A train consisting of six cars of silk valued at \$1,250,000, one of the most valuable cargoes which has ever passed through the city, came through La Crosse yesterday afternoon on the C. M. & St. P. railroad on its way to New York and Philadelphia.

The silk was shipped from Japan to Seattle, where it was started on its journey east on the evening of Thursday, August 15. The train arrived at La Crosse yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock and immediately started on the way to New York and Philadelphia by way of Chicago.

### WIGGENHORN GOES TO CHICAGO FIRM

William A. Wiggenhorn, formerly a member of the firm of Pamperin & Wiggenhorn, cigar manufacturers, and well known local man, left yesterday for Chicago, where he will take up a position as office manager of the Rothschild & Sons & Co., wholesale tobacco firm. Mr. Wiggenhorn leaves a host of friends behind, having been prominent in social as well as business circles. He was for several years secretary of the La Crosse lodge of Elks.

### FALL DENIES HE HELPED OROZCO

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Senator Fall of New Mexico replied in the senate today to the charges of President Madero of Mexico, that he was responsible for continuance of the revolution through encouraging the rebel general, Orozco. Falls declares the charge "ridiculous." The senator insisted that he had sources of information bearing on Mexican conditions superior to those of the state department, and declared that Madero was unable to cope with the situation.

except in so far as the demands of the eastern railway firemen for higher wages, the manner of pressing which will be decided at next Tuesday's conference, may have been used as a factor in creating uneasiness. Presumably, this dispute like that of the railway engineers, will go to arbitration. On the Stock Exchange there appeared to be less disposition to ascribe the weakness to that cause, than to explain it simply on the ground of the market's slowness in moving higher under the influence of favorable general news. It is an interesting fact, with some possible bearing on the course of prices, that no less than fifty separate stocks touched the highest level of the year in the earlier days of the present week.

Mrs. Bertha Halbert, who spent Sunday here, left for her home this morning at Minneapolis.

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### NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Parker-Hirt Machine Co. will be the most modern auto home.

William Grady, Harry Thompson, Walter Button and Kroner Wall went to Winona yesterday where they saw the Nelson Clothing Company-Schellhas baseball game.

Henry Whittenberg has returned from Holmen where he visited with friends.

William Koepeke of Rice Lake, is calling on north side friends today. Guy Parker, who was visiting in Chicago for several days, returned today from Chicago.

Splendid six o'clock dinner at Caledonia St. Meth. church Tuesday.

Donald Finn of Stoddard visited in the city yesterday.

Roy Skemp has returned from a trip to Chicago.

Mrs. May has returned to her home at Bosobel after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Stickler, 1127 Berlin street.

Rev. Dunn of Eau Claire is visiting on the north side today.

Mr. and Mrs. George Karel have returned from Winona where they visited friends.

Come to the six o'clock dinner Tuesday, Caledonia St. Meth. church.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mosher and daughter who visited relatives at West Salem yesterday, returned to the city today.

Miss Martha Sandbo of Minot, N. D., who has been visiting relatives and friends here, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Groeschner, who have been visiting friends and relatives at Bangor, have returned to their home at 1513 George street.

George Oeltjendier, Jr., and Fred Whittenberg left last week to work in the harvest fields in North Dakota.

Lafe Wesley has returned to Minneapolis after visiting with friends and relatives on the north side.

Alex Black is enjoying a week's vacation at Peterson and Midway.

Plymouth Fjelstad, 706 St. Cloud street, has accepted a position with the National Gauge and Register company.

Kuete Temte has gone to Elroy for a few days' visit with friends and relatives.

Ray Long went to Milwaukee on business this morning.

Russell Webster of Chicago, is the guest of his niece, Miss Agnes Webster, 1609 Charles street.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ellerson and son of Omaha, Neb., are visiting their relatives here for a few days.

Miss Alberta Cordell has returned to her home in Dubuque, after a brief visit here.

Mrs. A. Larson and children of Savanna, are the guests of north side relatives.

Carl Gilbertson who has been visiting at his home, 1508 Kane street, has returned to Minneapolis.

Miss Lizzie Pagel, who has been the guest of Mrs. T. B. Haroldson, 1602 Charles street, for the past few days, has returned to her home in Winona.

Henry Rudolph of Minneapolis, is the guest of friends and relatives on the north side.

Miss Jennie Hanson who has been the guest of friends and relatives in Minneapolis, has returned to her home here.

Bud Kelly, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, 728 Gould street, has returned to his home in Houston.

John Sullivan who has been the guest of friends in Minneapolis, has returned to his home, 317 Mill street.

Miss Pearl Scholberg, who has been visiting friends and relatives in the west, has returned to her home, 1118 Berlin street.

Miss Eileen Donovan who has been the guest of friends and relatives in Minneapolis has returned to her home here.

Miss Anna Rudolph of Minneapolis is visiting at the home of Mrs. Zimmer, 1702 Kane street for a few days.

Mrs. K. Fuicks of 1506 Loomis street, is the guest of friends and relatives in Lansing.

Miss Gertrude Rother, who has been visiting Mrs. Kretchner, 1437 Loomis street, has returned to her home in Huron, S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. G. McCabe of Dubuque, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. McCabe, 1633 Berlin street.

Mrs. F. Bull and daughter, Alice, of 1831 Loomis street, are the guests of relatives and friends in Duluth.

Mrs. Casperson and daughter, Olga of 1507 Loomis street, are visiting friends and relatives in Camp Douglas.

Joe Weiner, who has been visiting his parents, 1543 Kane street, has returned to Minneapolis.

Mrs. B. Stork of 1509 Charles street, left last evening for Hannibal, Mo., being called there on account of the illness of her mother.

Miss Ilene Strane of Chicago, Ill., is visiting La Crosse friends and relatives.

Arthur Stater of Moline, was a business visitor here today.

## GALESVILLE FAIR OPENS TUESDAY

Trempealeau County Prepares for Fifty-fourth Annual Exhibition; Ends Thursday

### MANY HORSES ENTER RACES

Alexander, Alice McGregor and President, Jr., to Take Part in Race Program

The ropes are all set for the fifty-fourth annual exposition of the Trempealeau County Fair association—the first of the large county fairs in this section—which open tomorrow at Galesville and continues through Thursday. The fair is considered almost a home institution by the residents of La Crosse and people residing in this vicinity and each year the great crowd which attends the show is made up largely of this city and surrounding territory. The fair drains from a hundred-mile radius and each season the attendance has increased. The fair association is the oldest in the northwest and their experience has made the shows worthy the liberal patronage recorded each year.

### Program of Features

The program has been announced and there are numerous features. Tuesday will be known as entry day when entries will be made in all departments and preparations will be completed. Wednesday will be known as La Crosse day and will mark the formal opening of the fair. A large delegation of La Crosse business men and others will be present wearing the La Crosse badges. A baseball game between Blair and Galesville will be played and the horse racing program will be carried out. There will be a drag race for fox hounds.

Thursday, the final of the fair, will be known as ladies' day. Galesville's ball team will play North Bend. There will be a parade of live stock, an address by Miss Virginia Brooks, the girl reformer, and a varied race program.

The Galesville band of twenty-five pieces will play during every day of the fair. The streets will be illuminated and band concerts will be held every evening down town.

The carnival company on the grounds will offer amusement and diversion aplenty.

The horses entered for the races are as follows:

**2:17 Pace, Wednesday, Aug. 21**  
Deanwood, Bud Nohlechick, Madison; Donna Mac, ch m, Stolte, Reedsburg; Pilot A., ch g, McDonnell, St. Paul; Little Indian, b g, Hastings, Richland Center; Shamboy E., Berg, Superior; La Doit, b g, Yankke, Winona; Porter's Prince Albert, b g, Toraason Blair; Alt, b g, Rands, Durand.

**2:23 Trot, Wednesday, Aug. 21**  
Earlondale, br s, Nevius, Winona; King Pepper, b g, Gallagher, St. Paul; Cora Bell, b m, Corliss, St. James; Brighton Boy, b g, Buorg, St. James; Alice McGregor, b m, Hood, La Crosse; Lady Gaines, b m, Winters, Milwaukee; Dell G., b g, Pericol, Durand.

**2:30 Trot, Thursday, Aug. 22**  
C. D., bl g, Nevius, Winona; President, Jr., br s, Millard, La Crosse; Sammy Slote, Mason, Hibbing; Boy Mack, b g, Hoppe, Winona; Syuna, ch g, Norton, St. Charles; Lady Gaines, b m, Winters, Milwaukee; Free for all Trot or Pace, Thursday, Aug. 22

Correne Wood, b m, Small, St. Charles; Deanwood, Bud Nohlechick, Madison; Earlondale, br s, Nevius, Winona; Donna Mac, ch m, Stolte, Reedsburg; Pilot A., ch g, McDonnell, St. Paul; Little Indian, b g, Hastings, Richland Center; Shamboy, Berg, Superior; La Doit, b g, Yankke, Winona; Silvermoon, b s, Corliss, St. James; Bessie Billion, b m, Corliss, St. James; Alexander, b g, Hood, La Crosse; Porter's Prince Albert, b g, Toraason Blair; Horace Jr., b g, Terry, Galesville; Alt, b g, Rands, Durand.

### SULTAN TO ABDICATE

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 19.—That the sultan is considering abdicating immediately was persistently rumored here today. His majesty is not a strong man and it is said he feels hopeless of averting a revolution and fears for his own life if he clings too long to power.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the 3rd Tuesday, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Emma G. Norton, executrix of the last will and testament of Daniel H. Norton, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of her final account as such executrix and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

Dated Aug. 15, 1912.

By order of the Court,  
JOHN BRINDLEY,  
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## MAY HAVE CREW AT STATE SCHOOL

Carroll College Alumni Active in Attempts to Introduce Rowing at Alma Mater

WAUKESHA, Wis., Aug. 19.—The question of a rowing department at Carroll college is to be taken up by business men of Waukesha and alumni of the college in an effort to make the suggestion that such a department be organized effective.

When it was first proposed that rowing be put on the list of sports at Carroll, it was thought impossible that such a department should be organized, but further consideration has inclined the business men to take the proposition seriously. A committee of business men will have a conference with Leon C. Rice, the former Syracuse rowing and football star, as soon as he arrives, with a view of learning the expense of organizing such a department and other requisites. They will seek his advice as to whether it would be more advisable to put the rowing department at Waukesha Beach on Pewaukee Lake, on Fox river above the dam, or whether to locate it at Milwaukee on the upper Milwaukee river and organize the rowing department in conjunction with the Milwaukee College of Physicians and Surgeons, which is affiliated with Carroll college as the medical and dental department of the local school.

If the expense is not prohibitive, the business men will probably agree to at least assist in furnishing backing to the only collegiate crew in Wisconsin outside of the state university.

### MARSHALL NOTIFIERS ARRIVE.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 19.—The advance guard of the democratic national committee's notification committee which tomorrow will inform Governor Marshall of his nomination, arrived here today.

## FIFTEEN HOBOES HELD FOR STABBING

BLACK RIVER FALLS, Wis., Aug. 19.—Fifteen Italian railway laborers are in jail here, charged with being implicated in the stabbing of James A. McNair, a brakeman on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway at Merriam, in this county, Saturday morning.

They were arraigned in justice court late Saturday, but the hearing will not be concluded before today. McNair is in a hospital at Eau Claire. He is not expected to recover.

### PARSONS PUT IN FIELDS

ANDERSON, Ind., Aug. 19.—church services were suspended and ministers were drafted into the work of thrashing in many rural neighborhoods in this vicinity yesterday in an effort to save oats which had mildewed in the fields, owing to continued wet weather.

Breaking a bottle of it over the prow of a ship at launching, is not, however, the most foolish way to use booze.

Not all the reckless drivers own automobiles; some of them hire lively barn horses.

## IRISHMAN, 112, IS TO ATTEND CELTS MEET

WILLIAMS BAY, Wis., Aug. 19.—T. Sullivan, the oldest Irishman in the United States today signified his intention of attending the international demonstration of the United Celtic-American societies at Chicago September 8. He will be 112 years old in November, speaks Irish fluently and can yet dance a jig and reel.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Office of Allamakee County Auditor, Waukon, Iowa, August 12, 1912.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, August 22, 1912, for grading and surfacing, and constructing all necessary drains and concrete culverts on certain highways in this county. Six (6) contracts will be let which aggregate a total of 36,150 cubic yards of grading, 9,450 cubic yards of surfacing and 700 cubic yards of concrete. Blank forms of proposals, specifications and all necessary information may be obtained at this office.

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## ARRIVAL OF U. S. MARINES BRINGS FEELING OF RELIEF TO NICARAGUANS GUARDING CAPITOL AGAINST REBELS



National palace at Managua, United States Marines just landed, and President Adolfo Diaz. There is a hot time again in Nicaragua. Rebels who took the field to avenge their displeasure with arrival of U. S. marines, sent merely to protect U. S. citizens and property is expected at the same time to make the position of the established government more secure.

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**TOMAH, WIS.**

The Tomah fair will be held some-  
what later this year than usual, the  
dates being October 8, 9 and 10.  
The public schools of this city  
start the fall term Tuesday, Septem-  
ber, the third. Prof. F. M. Bray will  
again be the supervising principal.  
Mrs. Emily Terry left Wednesday  
for Cleveland, Ohio, where she ex-  
pects to make her home with her son  
Earl.  
The body of Chris Peterson who  
was killed in a wreck on the Mil-  
waukee and Puget Sound railway, was  
brought to this city Sunday and was  
buried at Oak Grove cemetery.  
Capt. C. K. Sowle, Lieut. C. H.  
Wicklin, Lieut. E. R. Wells, Sarg-  
eant Bert Warriner and Artificer  
John Schuman of Co. K, left Sunday  
for Camp Douglas where they will  
attend the state rifle camp. Capt.  
Sowle and Lieut. Wells are on the  
third regiment rifle team and will  
spend the week competing with other  
rifle teams from various regi-  
ments.  
Dr. R. E. Kyle was one of the  
three men chosen from the Seventh  
district to attend the American Good  
Roads congress to be held in Atlan-  
ta City, N. J., Sept. 20 to Oct. 5.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sauer of Ra-  
dine are visiting friends and rela-  
tives in this city.  
George Knick and Fred Schmidt  
played at a dance Saturday evening  
at Stoddard.  
Rev. J. C. Smith, pastor of the  
Congregational church is spending a

## PERSONALS

Mr. G. W. Lee, St. Paul arrived here this morning and will spend the next few days transacting business here.

Attorney Frank Withrow, this city left for Rushford on business this morning.

The fall term of the Keefe Business College, Fourth and Pearl streets, will begin Sept. 3, 1912. Send for catalog.

Ed G. Simpson, Sparta, is transacting business in this city.

Miss Pauline Wunsch and daughters, Hulda and Marie, have returned to their home at Elkton, S. D., after spending a few weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gifford, 1427 Avon street.

R. T. Haskill of Milwaukee who has been transacting business in this city during the last few days has departed for his home.

Wanted—Two competent men to travel and solicit. Good salary. No commission. Men familiar with insurance or newspaper work preferred. Address Competent, care Tribune.

William Owen of Victory arrived here yesterday for a short visit with La Crosse friends and relatives.

C. Johnson of Wausau who has been spending a few days with La Crosse friends left for his home this morning.

Mrs. George Ebersole has moved from 315 South Ninth street to the corner of Fifth and Cass streets.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Russell Tucker has gone to Chicago for a week on business.

Miss Irene Hirsch of Milwaukee and Miss Clara Schmidt of Delaware, Ohio, are the guests of Miss Elsie Klaus, this city.

Miss Irene Loveless, Caledonia, Minn., spent Sunday visiting friends in this city.

Dr. Weston, specialist, 4th & Main.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schulze and Mrs. O. W. Muenster left for Chas-  
burg this morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roling.

Mrs. Frank R. Weston left for Onalaska today, where she will spend a week visiting with her aunt, Mrs. C. H. Nichols.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women  
Frank Fish of New Albin spent Saturday and Sunday in this city.

Henry Salzer and W. B. Tscharnier returned from Chicago today, where they attended a meeting of the agents of the United States Annuity Life Insurance company, of which Mr. Salzer is president and Mr. Tscharnier is a director.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Line for your next hack call. Phone 179.

J. F. Samson, cashier of the First National Bank of Cameron, Wis., is in La Crosse receiving medical treatment.

NOTICE.  
All water rents that are not paid by Saturday, Aug. 24, will be shut off the following Monday, Aug. 26. By order of the Board of Public Works.

JAMES T. DAY, Pres.

**CHILD HURT AND TAFT PARTY DELAYS**

GLACIER PARK, Mont., Aug. 19.—Injuries to little Miss Elizabeth Vincent, daughter of Mrs. George E. Vincent of Minneapolis, will cause the Taft party to remain in camp at St. Marie's lake several days. Miss Vincent was thrown from her horse and severely bruised.

Will Return Soon.  
ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 19.—Helen and Robert Taft, daughter and son of President Taft, who, with a party of friends, are touring Glacier Park, Mont., are due to arrive in St. Paul on their return trip to Beverly, Mass., about Aug. 27. They will spend a portion of the rest of the trip in the Canadian Rockies in Alberta park, which adjoins Glacier park on the north across the international border.

**BALL KILLS FOWL AND HURTS MAN**

FARGO, N. D., Aug. 19.—George White of Sturim, N. D., is in the habit of having chicken for Sunday dinner. Saturday he sent a bullet through the neck of a pullet, killing it. The bullet struck a stone, glanced and struck Erick Anderson, a neighbor, in the neck. The lead pellet passed around and into Anderson's jaw. It is feared blood poisoning may set in. Anderson is believed to be in serious condition.

**CELEBRATE SIOUX NEW ULM KILLING**

NEW ULM, Minn., Aug. 19.—Fifty years ago Sunday, Aug. 18, 1862, the first blood was shed in the Sioux massacre, ushering in the most awful week in the history of the state, in commemoration of which elaborate exercises, beginning yesterday, have been planned by the citizens of this city and of Fairfax.

**LUMBER COMPANY LEAVES**

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 19.—The Weyerhaeuser Lumber company has withdrawn its incorporation in Wisconsin and has reincorporated in Maine.

For Indigestion and Stomach Troubles take

Hoeschler's Compound Digestive Caps.

25c per box.

Money Back if Not Satisfied.

## SOCIETY

**PARCEL SHOWER**  
Miss Petra Peterson of 1608 Main street, gave a parcel shower Friday afternoon in honor of Miss Grace Kreible, one of the September brides to be. There were twenty present.

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**  
Mr. and Mrs. Linhart of 712 Cameron avenue, were pleasantly surprised yesterday afternoon by a number of their friends, the occasion being the fourth wedding anniversary. The afternoon was spent in playing cards and other games. Light refreshments were served during the afternoon and a dinner at 5 o'clock. Those present were Messrs. and Messdames H. G. Hanson, Melkold, A. N. Norby, Schuman, Smith, A. F. Linhart, R. Hanson, Misses Elsie Hatke, Anna Linhart, Messrs. Herman Rick and Lawrence Linhart.

**CARDS**  
Mrs. J. L. Pettingill entertained at cards Saturday afternoon. Two tables of bridge were played and one of five hundred. The bridge prize was taken by Mrs. Abbott and the five hundred prize by Miss Wheeler. The invited guests were Messdames David Austin, Elsie Gile Scott, N. D. Allen, Van Steenwyk, R. P. Weston, Gretchen Platz, Levi Withee, F. E. Davis, R. J. Russell, Alfred Harrison, Alex Hyslop, Joseph Clarke, Miss Alice Wheeler. The out of town guests were Mrs. Abbott of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Andrew Nevins of Madison, N. D.; Mrs. Elizabeth Holmes, New Haven, Conn., and Mrs. Dyson Dargett of Minneapolis.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**  
Mrs. Jacob Micksch, on the Mormon Coulee road, gave a party in honor of the seventeenth birthday of her daughter Mamie. The evening was spent in singing songs and dancing. She was given many beautiful presents. Those present were the following: Agnes Liede, Lulu Abicht, Serenia Christianson, Mabel Gautsch, Hanah Weiss, Alma Heinken, Mitilda Weiss, Mary Schmitt, Catherine Schmitt, Sadie Erlwin, Frances Masser, Emma Miller, Mabel Miller, Erma Lusang, Elsie Kachel, Ella Berand, Mamie Kelm, Lizzie Zimmer, Matilda Dummer, Gertrude Kaser, Della Filler, Bertha Blumer, Martha Tomalka, Mamie Boughner, Bertha Boughner, Theresa Kraft, Ida Micksch, Helen Kabot, Lena Harter, Hannah Stintzie, Rose Harter, Estelle Smith, Clara Grossbach, Stella Albert, Frank Harter, Emil Speika, Otto Shedesky, Alfred Miller, Polly Crocky, Russell Bash, Billy Jaekel, Herman Tronic, Ed Vois, Charles Miller, John Stroeh, Herbert Gautsch, Oscar Gautsch, George Leisgang, Frank Kachel, Ed Tronic, Dick Mootsma, Henry Miller, Christ Fredrickson, Arnold Kaser, Martin Tummer, John Tummer, John Mosser, George Mosser, Rubin Obitz, Lea Ender, Albert Hefta, Jim Barstusick, John Micksch, Paul Micksch.

**SIX O'CLOCK DINNER**  
Mrs. H. G. Miller, on the Mormon Coulee road, entertained some of her relatives and friends with a 6 o'clock dinner at her home. Those present were the following: Messdames F. Semsch, C. Dennison, A. Raymond, C. Miller, Wm. Miller, J. Micksch, P. Leisgang, O. Muetze, J. Van Loon, F. Weiss, C. Strong, Obitz, J. Hanson, Leverance, A. Herman, H. Stintzi, Misses Asta Muetze, Clara I. Van Loon, Matilda Weiss, Lillian Kaser, Freda Kaser, Gertrude Kaser, Strong, Agnes Obitz, Mamie Hanson, Elsie Kachel, Margaret Meister, Hannah Stintzi, Mr. and Mrs. P. Linker.

**SOCIAL BRIEFS**  
Mrs. Louise Withee has returned from Conrad, Mont.

Miss Cora Bowen, who has been spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. F. A. Copeland, will leave tomorrow night for her home at Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. W. R. Montague and son Theodore left yesterday for New York.

Mrs. E. J. Evans of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. W. F. Wolfe for two weeks.

Miss Vera Sundvay, who has been singing at the Royal theater in Springfield, Ill., for the last two months, has returned to her home at 527 King street.

**FOUND RIGHT MAN AT ONCE**

Seedy and Unlikely Looking Individual Knew All About City's Street Railway Troubles.

A man once came to Newton D. Baker, mayor of Cleveland, and said: "My town is going to have a street railway fight. I want to know all about Cleveland's."

"I shall be only too glad to tell you all I know," said Mr. Baker, "but unfortunately I have appointments until one o'clock. Will you come back?"

"How can I most profitably put in the two hours here until that time?" asked the stranger.

The answer was: "Go out on the public square, sit down by the most unlikely man you can find—the one who looks most as if he didn't know the difference between a franchise and a double track. Ask that man to tell you about Cleveland's street railway fight, and when you come back I will tell you whatever you haven't been able to learn from him."

The man came back at the end of two hours. "I needn't keep my appointment here," he said. "I found an old chap whose feet were out of his shoes, whose elbows were out of his shirt sleeves, and who looked as if he had just sobered up for the first time in a month—in short, I found the unluckiest looking individual at large. I put one question to him and he started right in at the beginning and filled in all the details and brought me down to date. There's nothing for you to tell me, unless you know what's going to happen. He hasn't been in on that."—The Survey.

## SEE THE LYRIC THEATRE'S 2 REEL PRODUCTION FOR TONIGHT AND TUESDAY "UNDER TWO FLAGS"

An Exceptional Production.

Staged in Two Continents.

Big 2 Reel Feature Friday and Saturday This Week

"WRITTEN IN BLOOD"

## WISCONSIN NEWS

### BADGER MOOSE TO CALL CONVENTION

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 19.—Members of the provisional state central committee of the Bull Moose party in Wisconsin decided at a meeting held in the Plankinton house Saturday to call a state convention for Wednesday, Sept. 11, in one of the theaters or halls in Milwaukee.

The formal call will be issued by Norman L. Baker, provisional state chairman, today.

By unanimous vote it was decided to place electors for president and vice president on the fall election ballots by petition.

### PIONEER CITIZEN OF STATE DEAD

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 19.—A. L. Worden, 75 years old, and since 1848 a resident of the south side, died at the home of his son, Lucien R. Worden, 544 Forty-ninth avenue, West Allis, Sunday morning after a two days' illness from heart trouble.

Mr. Worden, whose birthday was April 29, came to Milwaukee with his parents. He attended the only high school Milwaukee had at the time and after his graduation entered Michigan university, which he left at the beginning of the civil war to join the navy, serving under Admiral Porter on the warship Michigan and Blackhawk. He was one of the first newspaper men of this city.

### MARSHAL'S WOUNDS FATAL

CHIPPewa FALLS, Wis., Aug. 19.—Fred C. Griffin, the Owen, Wis., night marshal, died here Sunday. He was shot by a bandit at Owen while attempting to arrest a pair of holdup men July 30.

### REPORTER IS DROWNED

JANESVILLE, Wis., Aug. 19.—Will Hemming, a reporter, drowned Sunday morning while swimming. He was taken with cramps. The body was recovered.

### BORES ON RAILROAD TRAINS

Woman Complains of Talkative Fellow Travelers Who Insist on Revealing Secrets.

It is strange how many people, when traveling, are so bored with their own society that they will talk to whatever stranger they can force to listen—yes, and tell their heart's secrets, too. Once, in the dressing room of a Pullman, a woman whom I have never seen from that day to this, told me with exact detail all about a recent scandal in her family which they had kept out of the papers only by the most strenuous effort. Yet for all she knew, I might have been a reporter and I must say I longed to frighten her for her indiscretion by telling her that I was one!

Less serious confidences are frequent. "I've hardly a hair on my head that's my own," whispers the woman who has come over from the next section ostensibly to offer you a magazine, but really to hear herself talk. "These puffs cost \$20—and altogether I've bought over \$100 worth of braids and switches." Pleasant thought!

It is much more difficult to handle the cheerful, expansive woman traveler who has made up her mind to talk to one of her own sex and who is at heart a very good sort, but who merely happens to be a frightful bore, than it is to discourage the advances of the offensive traveling man, who, seeing a woman alone, feels that he can follow up his rude stares with conversation. Usually a curt monosyllabic answer or no answer at all will sufficiently crush him—but you cannot deal out that sort of treatment to your own sex.—Exchange.

## DIAMOND RING FOR \$25.00

For \$25 we can sell you a ring containing a stone of good size and of finest selected quality. We pay particular attention to selecting the diamonds for the rings at this price, and every stone is perfect every way, color, cutting, shape, etc. The mountings (both ladies' and gentlemen's style) are all 14k solid gold and of great variety of design.

Call and see these beautiful rings and let us show you other diamonds costing from \$5.00 to \$50.00.

W. T. IRVINE, Jeweler.

## FLIRTING ISN'T A RECENT PASTIME.



According to Edward Fuchs, a well known German authority on morals, flirting and spooning too, we suppose, hasn't found its vogue only in recent years. After poking around among the polysyllables of Dr. Fuchs' able article, we emerge with the impression that flirting was very "de trop" even in Adam's time

and possibly before. It isn't conceivable that our forebears (if you agree with Darwin) of the pre-Adam period were familiar with its thrills. Be that as it may the young people of the present generation are one in declaring that this delightful pastime is worthy of a history.

## U. S. ATHLETES KIDDED

YANKEE TRAP-SHOOTERS SCARED OUT RUSSIANS BY EXHIBITION DURING EARLY PRACTICE

Among other things "upheld" by Uncle Sam's Olympic athletes at Stockholm was the reputation of the United States as a nation of "kid-  
ders."

One of the most amusing and effective of the many good-humored stunts pulled off at the expense of the foreigners was executed by a part of the Yankee trap-shooting team. Before the day of the match, J. R. Graham, with Hall, Lyon and Billings, other members of the trap team, went out to the shooting grounds for a practice hour. The party was trailed by a number of members of the Russian trap-shooting team, who were anxious to get a line on the Yankee brand of marksmanship. Hall scented the "inspection," and suggested to Graham that a little "scare" be handed to the Czar's subjects. So when the practice began Graham, using Remington-Union Steel-Lined Shells, with which he shot his way to the world's individual championship at clay targets a few days later, started off conservatively by missing two of the first three targets. This gait looked encouraging to the Russians, who saw visions of a "first" for their team in the trap-shooting event. Then Graham unlimbered and broke forty-nine straight, Hall and Billings each followed by driving the same American-made shells to but one miss in fifty, and completed their strings of one hundred with but one miss apiece. Graham missed three in his hundred—"a poor day for him," said the press reports.

An afternoon of the same day the Slavs officially withdrew from the trap-shooting contest.

## FIND RUSSIAN CONSPIRACY

VIENNA, Aug. 19.—Following the proclamation of martial law at Sebastopol and Cronstadt, the Russian police are making wholesale arrests today at both places. It is said a formidable revolutionary conspiracy has been uncovered in the navy.

Wigg—"The bridegroom doesn't cut much of a figure at his own wedding." Wagg—"No, he's a mere ringer."

## MINING DISTRICT RULED BY MILITIA

Martial Law Not Definitely Proclaimed, but Soldiers Help Police Keep Peace

CHARLESTOWN, W. Va., Aug. 19.—While martial law was not proclaimed in so many words, the militia under orders from Governor Glasscock today became more active in assisting the civil authorities in enforcing the law in the Kanawha county coal fields, where 5,000 armed miners are on strike.

Governor Glasscock last midnight issued a proclamation asking all persons except the militia to lay down their arms and aid in the preservation of peace. The militia is given authority to prevent all rioting, unlawful assemblage and inflammatory speeches.

Company E of Parkersburg and the Bluefield company and a machine gun squad of militia under orders from Glasscock proceeded today from Paint Creek to Eskdale, where trouble is threatened between the miners and special Baldwin guards employed by the operators.

## SCHEPPS TO NEW YORK

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Detectives with Sam Schepps in charge reached here at daylight. Just before 6 o'clock the party strolled down Broadway in the Stanwin hall where District Attorney Whitman and an assistant, H. H. Steinberg, registered at midnight. The party took the 6:50 train for New York.

## GETTING WISER

Am attending the American Association of Opticians at Chicago. When I return, "Then You'll Come to Me!"

**K. E. Layton**  
EYE SIGHT SPECIALIST

500 MAIN ST., UPSTAIRS



# LADIES' OXFORDS and SLIPPERS AT 98c ADAMS

THE SHOEMAN  
AT THE YELLOW FRONT.  
115-117 South Fourth Street.

## T. R. DEFENDS HIS 1904 WAR CHEST

Says if Standard Oil Contributed He Knew Nothing About It and Forbade

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Just to show to the public in general and Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania in particular, that he had ammunition with which to "make the fur fly" if the alleged \$25,000 John D. Archbold certificate of deposit should be laid at his door by enrose, Colonel Roosevelt today gave out a statement declaring that he knew nothing about the contributions to his campaign fund in 1904, that he knew no more about the funds in New York and Pennsylvania than in Illinois and Ohio. He also said that he specifically warned George B. Cortelyou, the national chairman, not to accept any money from Standard Oil. Colonel Roosevelt also took occasion to answer statements made at the close of the 1904 campaign by Judge Alton B. Parker, relative to corporation contributions to the republican campaign fund. In part the colonel said:

"As regards Senator Penrose's statement, I have only to say that I have not and never have had the slightest knowledge whether he or anyone else during the campaign of 1904 raised any money to be used in carrying the state of New York. "But as a matter of fact, it happened that in the campaign of 1904 I wrote to Mr. Cortelyou stating that I wished no money received from the Standard Oil company."

## GRAFF'S ANSWER IS CALLED FALSE

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son asked me what conclusion I came to from this. I answered by stating that I had merely asked him for information and that he would have to draw his own conclusions. The charge that any story with reference to the military reservation purchase had been circulated by either Mr. Dahl or myself is utterly false. Personally, as I have above stated, I never heard mention of the matter until the day before I called upon Mr. Thompson. I do not pretend to know anything about it, but simply endeavored to get an explanation from Mr. Thompson in the course of my visit with him.

"I did state to Mr. Thompson what I understood and learned from my own visits in the district to be the fact—namely, that generally throughout the district, with the possible exception of the cities of Sparta and La Crosse, Mr. Esch was being supported chiefly by stalwarts. The postmasters of the district were likewise all active in Mr. Esch's behalf. "I would further state that the eloquent utterance which Mr. Thompson attributes to himself to the effect that I could tell Mr. Dahl that from now on he would support Mr. Esch, etc., was not spoken to me or in my presence, but was probably an after-thought that Mr. Thompson intended only for publication purposes. Mr. Thompson's dramatic recital of his stern rebuke of me—resulting in my hurriedly leaving his office without saying a word is likewise pure fiction.

"In conclusion I may add that Mr. Thompson did state that he was dissatisfied with much of Mr. Esch's record and with many of his votes in congress, but that he thought he would do better in the future. "I have no personal quarrel with Mr. Thompson, but in justice to myself do not propose to be misquoted. "I can see no reason for attempting to give so much importance to a mere personal conversation between us. Mr. Dahl is not fighting his campaign on "insinuations." He does not need to. Mr. Esch's recorded votes on the big progressive measures in congress—usually on the wrong side—will determine the outcome of this fight at the primaries. (Signed) EINAR GRAFF, "Secretary of Hon. Andrew H. Dahl's personal campaign committee."

## STRONG MEN DO WONDERFUL ACT

Reros Brothers at the Majestic Have Stunts which Are Revelations to La Crosse

### BILL IS ALL HEADLINERS

Every Act on the Bill Is Worthy of Featuring; Several Real Comedy Turns

Standing upon his head on a trapeze fifteen feet from the stage, and in this position clutching ropes upon which his brother below him twists and turns, one of the Reros brothers supplies a thrilling climax to the startling act put on as the closing turn of the new Majestic program which opened the season here yesterday. It is an act that is new all through. The two men are recent importations from abroad, having spent less than one season in the United States. They do nothing but feats that are new to local vaudeville patrons, and every one is a sure enough thriller.

"A Revelation in Rag Time" is an accurate description of the act of Janet Adair and Florence Hickey. These two classy looking young girls have an inimitable way of putting their catchy songs over the footlights. "I'm Goin' Back to Dixie" was the big hit of their act, and they were forced to respond to several curtain calls after its completion.

Miss Adair, the little girl who does most of the singing in the act, was taken ill yesterday evening, and was unable to perform at either evening show. She is reported better today, however, and will play in the afternoon and evening performances.

There is a real funny man at the Majestic this week. His name is Francis Pierlot. He is a nice chubby little man whose hairs are numbered, and his work is superlatively comical. He has an excellent vehicle for his talent in his one-act play, "The Pink Kimona Girl," and is ably supported by Miss Helene Carrel and Earl Pingree. It would spoil the fun to tell the plot of the play, but it is really a good one and sure death to a yawn.

Davis, Allen and Davis, billed as the three oddities, have a queer and ex-cruciatingly funny act. During the progress of the act the orchestra gets mad and leaves, and a man is impressed from the audience to help out with the entertainment. He is a real entertainer, for an amateur, too, and the act has a whirlwind singing and dancing finish that is a winner.

Seals that do everything but talk are also on the bill as the opening number. Professor Kent's six amphibians include several musicians, some clever jugglers and a seal with a natural disposition for being humorous, who is a genuine comedian. The seals show an extraordinary acuteness in everything, one even playing the national air on a set of horns. The act is the best seal act that has appeared at the local theater.

Master Le Roy Thornton, a little lad in short trousers, is one of the real features on the bill, in a spotlight singing act. He does character and rag time songs like a veteran, and was evidently well used to the generous applause with which he was greeted.

Three complete reels of 1,000 feet each comprise the motion picture program. They are first-class pictures, all of them, one being a Japanese drama enacted in Japan by all Japanese actors. It is a little odd from our standpoint of acting, but is intensely interesting.

Much favorable comment was elicited by the new artistic program which is in use at the Majestic. It is in handy size for consultation, and has a beautiful cover decoration.

### ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 19.—The Elgin board of trade today fixed the price of butter at 25 cents per pound, the same as last week.

Political Advertising, \$1.25 paid.



## HERBERT B. VINCENT

Republican Candidate for

Clerk of the Court  
Primaries Tuesday, Sept. 3, 1912

## BURLINGTON MEN JOIN ESCH CLUB

Railroad Employees Organize to Boost the Candidacy of John J. Esch for Congress

### Under the leadership of Frank Harrington, yardmaster at Grand Crossing, and other prominent railroad officials, the employees of the Burlington railroad in La Crosse county are organizing an Esch club for the purpose of boosting the candidacy of John J. Esch for the nomination for congress from this district. The movement is said to have gained considerable headway and it is expected that before the end of this week the club's membership will approach the 400 mark.

A meeting will be held probably the first part of next week to outline plans for a campaign, officers will be elected and other matters of interest to a political club will be taken up. The movement includes engineers, conductors, yardmen, shopmen and others in the employ of the railroad. Congressman Esch receives the endorsement of railroad employees because of the railroad legislation which he was instrumental in getting through congress. He is the father of many bills which were enacted into laws for the conservation of human life on railroads and he is held in grateful memory by all of the railroad men of this district. Circulation of the Esch club membership lists have as yet met no opposition to the movement.

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## PRAISE SCHOOLS FOR FIRE DRILLS

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ed in Station No. 1, a building of only ordinary construction with considerable exposure hazard, and this should be removed to a building of non-combustible construction and the system so arranged as to reduce the possibility of interruption from outside sources to a minimum. Alarm boxes should also be made conspicuous by painting them red and the boxes of old and anterior type be replaced with modern devices properly installed. Other apparatus on hand appears to be in good condition including hose, of which there is a good supply in reserve at each station. In suggesting that the hose wagon at No. 5 be equipped with additional chemical apparatus we were informed that such an arrangement would not be feasible, as owing to the condition of the roads in that section of town, as it would be impossible for one team to handle any more weight, which we understand is now about three tons. Under these circumstances it would seem advisable to have a lighter hose cart with chemical attached or a separate chemical outfit with special attendant located at this station.

The pumping station itself is seriously exposed on three sides by a frame conflagration district, and with no private protection, the city might under various conditions be rendered helpless because of this condition. It is estimated that it will require at least eighteen months to build the proposed water works system with no definite time designated when the building operations will be started.

The hydrants in the down town district are placed a considerable distance apart and the recommendation of the national board should be followed in this regard. A number of risks of large area and value seriously expose the mercantile district on the south side and these should be equipped with private protection of recognized value.

The fire limits should be extended and the local ordinance regulating the erection of new buildings and the use of hydrants for sprinkling purposes be strictly enforced by the board of public works.

### Lists Defects

The report gives a list of buildings examined, and defects found in each are reported, together with recommendations for the improvement and lowering of fire risks. Mayor John Dangler and Fire Chief Nathan Bradford were in conference at three o'clock this afternoon, and the mayor gave orders to the head of the fire department to see that all the recommendations of the committee were strictly carried out.

Score: R H E  
Schellhas ... 02220040—6 6 3  
Nelsons ... 02010000—3 6 3  
Batteries—Deike and Rose; Squires and Knuteson.

### I. O. O. F. TO BANQUET

Gateway City Lodge, No. 53, I. O. O. F., will give a banquet to its members and visiting Odd Fellows tonight in the Odd Fellows hall, on Fourth street. The banquet will follow the conferring of the third degree upon a class of candidates. It is expected that a large number of lodgemen will be present at the ceremony and feed.

### NYE TO RETIRE

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 19.—Congressman Nye today announced his retirement from congress after serving three terms. He says that he cannot be a candidate for re-election because he is not sufficiently in accord with the republican party to warrant him in filing as a republican.

### WILSON TO HOBOKEN

SEA GIRT, N. J., Aug. 19.—Governor Wilson left this afternoon for Hoboken, N. J., where at 5 o'clock he was scheduled to address a gathering of German-Americans. Advance reports to the governor said that 15,000 persons would be there.

## POLICE TRY TO SEIZE SCHEPPS

Attempt Is Made to Take "Murder Paymaster" Away from Whitman

### TELLS STORY TO PROSECUTOR

District Attorney Says the Latest Confession Is Similar to that of Rose and Webber

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—When Sam Schepps, gangster and alleged paymaster of the assassins of gambler Herman Rosenthal arrived in New York today from Hot Springs, Ark., he was accompanied by District Attorney Whitman, Assistant Rubin and several county detectives working for the district attorney, and it was only by a swift rush through Grand Central station that they prevented the New York police from seizing the prisoner.

Cops Meet Train  
Central office men, headed by Detective Barney Deitch and a squad of policemen under Captain Gillen, were on hand to meet the train, and Deitch at once demanded Schepps. Whitman paid no attention to the demand, but without parley had his man rush Schepps through the station and into a waiting taxicab.

"To the west side prison, quick," shouted Whitman, and Schepps and the district attorney's detectives were whirled away.

Deitch made a half-hearted effort to stop the taxicab but it sped away. "Don't you fellows butt in," warned County Detective Thomas, sticking his head out of a cab window.

Schepps was taken to the west side prison, where Rose, Webber and Vallon were quartered. Whitman went to his office to arrange for Schepps' appearance before the grand jury.

A possible counter attraction in the whirl of the murder-police graft scandal may be a rival investigation of the police department by Corporation Counsel Watson.

### Schepps Tells All

Schepps was taken to the west side West side prison on a charge of vagrancy by agreement between Whitman and Sandle, Schepps' attorney. A hearing was set for a week from today, August 26.

"I have told all I know," was Mr. Schepps' comment after an hour's talk with the district attorney. "I got more information from Schepps than I expected," said Whitman. "He has corroborated Rose and Webber. The chain is now complete."

## NELSONS AGAIN LOSE TO WINONA

Schellhas Club Wins by 6 to 3 Score, Getting Four Runs in the Seventh Inning

A combination of hits, errors and bases on balls gave the Schellhas team of Winona four runs in the seventh inning and they thus came from behind and beat out the Nelsons by a count of 6 to 3 in a hotly contested game at Winona yesterday. By winning yesterday's game the Winona team has two victories over the locals to their credit.

Up to the last half of the seventh inning the Nelsons led their opponents by a count of 3 to 2, and with Squires pitching a wonderful article of ball victory seemed assured for the locals. Squires held the Schellhas team at bay while his teammates were pounding out three runs, but in the seventh frame an error by the locals started it and before the side could be retired Winona had sent four tallies over the pan, this settling the game, as Deike, on the slab for the Schellhas team, was invincible after the fourth frame.

Both Squires and Deike pitched excellent ball, six hits being all that were allowed by either twirler. Three errors were made by each team. Nally and Erickson starred for the Nelsons, each man securing two hits in addition to playing a good fielding game, while Deike did the heavy hitting for Winona, as he made three bingles.

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Batteries—Deike and Rose; Squires and Knuteson.

## MRS. B. F. STORCH LOSES DEATH RACE

HANNIBAL, Mo., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. B. F. Storch, La Crosse, Wis., lost today in a race with death to see her mother, Mrs. Caroline Smith of La Crosse. Mrs. Smith died at 3:45 this morning, at the home of another daughter, Mrs. W. C. Walz, before Mrs. Storch could get to Hannibal. Mrs. Smith has been visiting her daughter here, and was suddenly taken ill. The body will be accompanied back to La Crosse by Mrs. Storch.

### SCOUTS SEE TAFT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—President Taft shook hands today and individually complimented five boy scouts who have just completed the bicycle trip from Burlington, Iowa.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED — Plasterers. McMillan building Fourth and Main streets. T. J. Barney. 8 19 24

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## SENATE REFUSES COMMERCE COURT

Taft Veto of Budget Bill Is Ignored in Framing the New Law

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Despite President Taft's veto message announcing that he disapproved the "budget bill" because of the provision abolishing the commerce court, the senate this afternoon passed a re-framed budget bill with the abolishing of the court included.

An amendment by Senator Overman of North Carolina, cutting off all appropriations for the court, was adopted, 25 to 23.

The vote followed a long discussion as to the president's previous veto of the bill. Senator Overman insisted that Taft would not again disapprove the measure. Senator Warren of Wyoming declared that he would, and gloomily predicted a continuous session of congress.

### MARVIN STARTS SUIT

Alderman George B. Marvin Saturday filed papers starting action against Olaf Larson on the charge that the license for running his saloon at Rose and St. Cloud streets is illegal. The case will come up for a hearing at the next term of circuit court.

## THE VALUE OF ENGRAVING

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## ISSUE CHALLENGE TO THE CLOTHIERS

Athletes Want to Schedule Game or Series of Games with the Clothing Company

Having been unsuccessful for some time in their efforts to get a game with the La Crosse Clothing company baseball club, the Athletes have issued a challenge in which they invite the Clothiers to meet them in a game or a series of games beginning Sunday, August 25. Following is the Athletes' challenge:

"We hereby again challenge the La Crosse Clothing company baseball team to meet us in a game, or series of games, to defend their so-called title as city champions, said game or games to be played at the League park, beginning Sunday, August 25, or any other park for that matter.

"Since the Summit-Clothing company series, we have tried repeatedly to complete arrangements for a game or series of games with the Clothing company but we have been unable to get their manager to meet us to make arrangements, without any good excuse. We do not care so much for the title of city champions, but we want to play the La Crosse Clothing company baseball team, feeling certain that we can defeat them, and the quicker we can get them to clash with us, the better we will like it.

"They cannot consistently ignore us, as we have a better record around this part of the country than any other baseball club in La Crosse, have defeated the Summits, have challenged the Nelson Clothing company club, who have openly declared that they do not care to play us, and the La Crosse Clothiers will either have to play us or acknowledge that we are too strong for them."

### DEAD THREATEN PLAGUE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Pestilence is the new danger threatening Nicaragua. The siege of Managua, the capital, proved to be one of the bloodiest engagements of any South American revolution and Minister George Weitzel today reports to the senate department that 10,000 of the dead were lying on the fields surrounding the city, threatening an epidemic.

### RAIN STOPS TRAFFIC

GLENDIVE, Minn., Aug. 9.—The heaviest rain in many years occurred in this vicinity yesterday. Nearly two miles of track of the Northern Pacific railway was washed out and it may be several days before traffic over that part of the line can be resumed.

## WILSON LET DOWN EASY BY REPORT

Secretary of Agriculture Mildly Criticized for Irregularities in Everglades Reports

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Secretary Wilson, Assistant Secretary Hayes, and minor officials of the department of agriculture are both rebuked and defended in reports submitted today to the house by a committee which has just concluded a six months' investigation of the alleged Florida everglades scandal. Suppression and publication of reports for and against interests of Florida land promoters are charged.

Representatives Moss of Indiana, Floyd of Missouri, and Doughton of North Carolina, democrats, state they are unable to fix responsibility for alleged irregularity in publication of the everglades reports. Representative Stone (Rep., Neb.) represented the minority in defending the department heads.

"We invite the attention of the honorable secretary to the many violations of regulations and recommend readjustment which will restore an efficient discipline," is the majority's severest criticism of Secretary Wilson.

"The conduct of Assistant Secretary Hayes," the majority declare, "is not in harmony with the regulations of the department, and with proper standards of official propriety, if not official rectitude."

### JOHN JANSKY FUNERAL TODAY

Many friends and relatives attended the funeral of John Jansky, which was held from the residence, 513 South Ninth street, at 8:30 o'clock this morning and from the St. Wenceslaus church at nine o'clock with Rev. Till officiating at the services. The pallbearers were from the St. Wenceslaus and the Bohemian Workingmen's societies. Burial was made in the Catholic cemetery.

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## HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—To handle freight during season of navigation. Wages \$30 per hour. Open shop. W. J. Conners, 55 Reed street, Milwaukee, Wis. 8 14 20

WANTED—At Lansing, Iowa, to work in rip-rap quarry for government work, teamsters and laborers. Wages \$20 per hour. C. F. Nagel, Lansing, Iowa. 8 14 20

WANTED—Grey and malleable iron molders, also skilled mechanics of all kinds for agricultural implements. Steady employment; no labor troubles. Parlin & Orendorff Co., Canton, Ill. 8 15 21

WANTED—Men for assembling department. Stamping and Tool Co. 8 16 19

WANTED—Two carriage drivers. Gateway City Transfer Co. 8 13 19

WANTED—Porter and checkroom boy. Stoddard hotel. 8 13 17

WANTED—Teamster. 120 North Tenth street. 8 16 19

WANTED—Reliable energetic young men on ranch. Good with horses. Prefer men with a few hundred dollars to take share in business. D. McLeod, Spencer, Nebraska. 8 17 20

WANTED—Two competent men to travel and solicit; good salary; no commission. Men familiar with insurance or newspaper work preferred. Address Competent, care Tribune. 8 16 19

WANTED—Men to sell seeds to farmers and ornamental stock in towns. Apply at once. Herrick Seed Company, Rochester, N. Y. 8 17 19

WANTED—500 men; grey and malleable iron molders, bench and squarer; punch and shear; mechanics; plow fitters; polishers and common labor; steady employment; excellent conditions; no labor troubles. Parlin & Orendorff Co., Canton, Ill. 8 19 26

WANTED—Young man at Banner Dairy Lunch. 88 19 21

WANTED—Two ladies to room and board. 414 Cameron avenue. New phone 544-R. 8 14 17

WANTED—Girl at Green Bay hotel. 8 17 17

WANTED—Ladies or gentleman for healthy outdoor occupation in La Crosse, Wis. \$10 to \$25 weekly according to time given. Address Miss Ethel Shrewsbury, Gen'l Del., La Crosse, Wis. 8 19 21

WE HAVE increased our factory twenty-five per cent and want about as many young women who are capable of making from eight to fourteen dollars per week. We will pay five dollars the first week to those showing ability to handle the work. The work is clean, light and interesting. The wages are on a piece work basis, and some of our young women are making as high as fifteen dollars per week. Application blanks can be procured at our office, and positions will be ready Sept. 2, 1912. All applications treated confidential. Wisconsin Pearl Button Company. 8 7 20

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Must be good cook. Good wages. Apply 1420 Cass street. 8 19 17

WANTED—Girls at the Western Hammock Co. 8 19 20

WANTED—Dining room girl at Union hotel, 427 South Third. 8 19 17

WANTED—Girl, Allen hotel, 433 Mill street. 8 19 21

WANTED—Thirty girls over 16 years of age. J. B. Funke Co. 8 7 17

WANTED—Girl at the Third Street house. 8 16 19

WANTED—Girls in our yarn-mill. Apply at the La Crosse Knitting Works. 8 16 20

FOR SALE—Hotel, paying proposition, established business. Must sell on account of poor health. Address Hotel, care of Tribune. 8 17 30

FOR RENT—Modern city heated flat, Sept. 1. Inquire of Mrs. J. L. Callahan, 915 Cass. 8 19 20

FOR SALE—Light driving horse, with or without harness and buggy. Inquire 918 South Ninth. 8 17 20

FOR SALE—Household goods, 922 State street. 8 19 17

FOR SALE—Launch, 21 foot, 4 h. p. engine, first class condition, reasonable. 525 South Tenth, or call old phone 4854. 8 19 17

FOR SALE—Brand new 23 foot launch, 12 h. p. Gray 2 cycle engine and reverse gear, perfect condition. Capacity 10 persons, speed 17 miles per hour. Will give demonstration. Address C. C. L., Tribune, or old phone 6351. 8 19 24

FOR SALE—Gas stove, lawn swing, 1 pair portiers, and eight awnings, 258 South Fifth street. 8 19 20

FOR SALE—Have one bed room set left with iron bed, center table and a few other things, cheap. Must go quick. Leaving city. Mrs. Theo. Schulze, 1404 West avenue south. 8 19 19

FOR SALE—Young team of draft horses. Inquire of Ed. Brortzman, Onalaska. 8 19 24

FOR SALE—Household goods. Call Tuesday and Wednesday, 624 South Eighth street. 8 19 20

FOR SALE—26-foot speed boat, 10 h. p. engine, 18 miles an hour; also boat house. Inquire new phone 574-C, or address "Snap," care Tribune. 8 19 26

FOR SALE—\$40,000 farm property; 25 miles from La Crosse; will take in part payment \$12,000 or \$15,000. Clear income La Crosse property. E. Austin, Leon, Wis. 8 19 24

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New modern six room house. Address A. B., care Tribune. 8 17 20

FOR SALE—At once, household goods, account leaving the city. 528 North Eighth street. 8 17 20

FOR SALE—Upright piano. 522 Caledonia street. 8 17 22

FOR SALE—All kinds of household furniture, at 1135 Main street. 8 17 21

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A modern house in good repair, in La Crosse, for a farm close by city. If interested give price and particulars in first letter. Address House, 803 South Eleventh street. 8 17 19

FOR SALE—Spring fryers and broilers. E. Grayburn, old phone 9261. 8 17 21

FOR SALE—Anderson computing scale. In best of condition and warranted correct. Address Scale, care of Tribune. 8 15 21

FOR SALE—Hard coal stove. 206 North Seventh street. 8 16 20

FOR SALE—Good dairy business, everything complete for bottling and delivering of bottled milk. Call at 1903 Adams street. 8 15 21

FOR SALE—Modern two story house, seven rooms and bath, large porches, hardwood floors; plaster exterior, metal roof. Price \$4,500. Address C. W., Tribune. 8 15 22

FOR SALE—Baltimore restaurant, reasonable. Going into other business. 7 27 17

FOR SALE—A two story brick house, cheap. Inquire 1211 South Eleventh, second floor. 5 21 17

FOR SALE—Five rooms of new furniture for \$175. 618 No. Ninth. 8 16 29

FOR SALE—19 foot launch, 6 horse power engine, 22 foot boat house, \$100 cash. Must be sold in 5 days. 728 Avon. New phone 1051-M. 8 17 22

FOR SALE—365 acre farm 20 miles southeast of Madison, seven miles from railroad; good dairy farm. Good buildings. Located near creamery. Price and terms reasonable. Address Farm, care of Tribune. 8 16 19

FOR SALE—Single comb White Leghorn roosters, 75c per W. J. Langen, La Crosse, Minn. Castle Rock Farm. 8 16 22

FOR SALE—Furniture and stoves. 502 North Sixteenth. 8 16 21

FOR SALE—Or trade as part payment on a small farm, two acres of land in city limits, good house and barn, a hundred foot chicken coop, windmill, some apple and plum trees, and some small fruit. Old phone 2052, or address Z. Z. Tribune. 8 13 17

FARM LANDS—Wind and improved, in North Wisconsin and Minnesota. Send for list. Prices from \$4.00 to \$30 per acre. E. L. Whittier, 305 South Fifth. 8 5 17

FOR SALE—City property at a price that will sell. Easy terms, good paying investment. Address Go, care Tribune. 8 17 20

FOR SALE—Three runabouts, very nice 2 horse surrey, four single harnesses. Hodge's Livery. 8 10 23

FOR SALE—Bay horse, 6 years old, sound, gentle, thoroughly broken, weight 1,175 pounds. Also buckskin horse, perfectly broken and safe for children or ladies to drive, weight 1,050. For particulars address Box 16, Hokah, Minn. 8 19 21

FARM FOR SALE—One of the best farms in Trempealeau county, the best of soil, no better in the county; 130 acres under plow, good buildings, new barn. For further particulars call or write. W. V. Colwell, Trempealeau, Wis. 7 17 17

FOR SALE—A good sized second hand safe, grocery store fixtures, including new Stimpson scale. Address S. H., care of Tribune. 6 20 17

FOR SALE—Horses and dray outfit. Call 427 Jay. 8 13 19

FOR RENT—Entire second floor over Bijou theater. Inquire at Bijou manager's office over theater. 8 13 17

FOR RENT—Six room house. 423 Johnson street. 8 17 23

FOR RENT—Store with flat in connection, at 411 South Third St. Rent reasonable. Inquire at 413 South Third street. 8 17 17

FOR RENT—Modern city heated flat. Inquire 119 South Tenth. 8 15 17

FOR RENT—New modern six room house, Thirteenth and Market. 8 19 24

FOR RENT—Store building, 1202 Caledonia street. Inquire 709 St. Paul. 8 13 19

FOR RENT—Eight room modern house, 1102 State street. Fred Dittman. 8 13 17

FOR RENT OR SALE—Modern 8 room cottage, 816 Ferry street. Inquire at 310 North Eleventh St. 8 17 20

FOR RENT—Seven room house, Sixteenth and Badger streets. \$10 per month. Inquire 221 South Tenth. 8 19 21

FOR RENT—About Sept. 1, modern 7 room house, 602 South Fourth street. Phone 739-C. 8 17 17

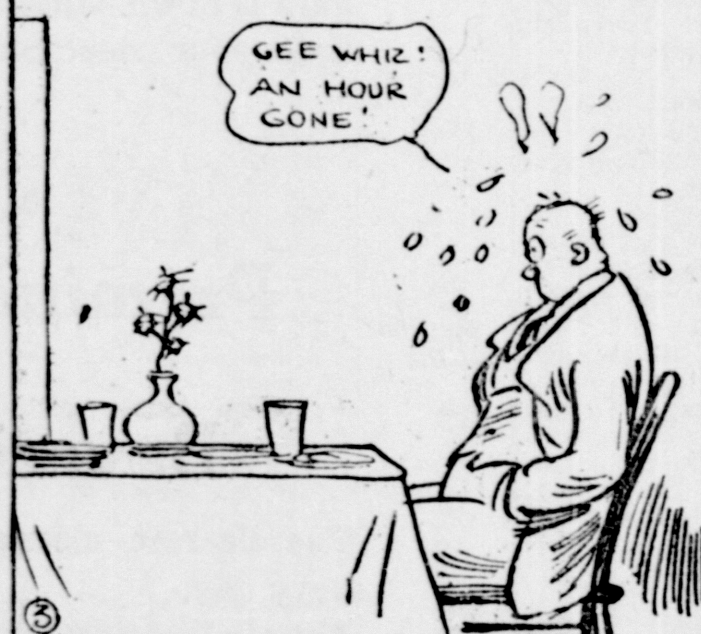
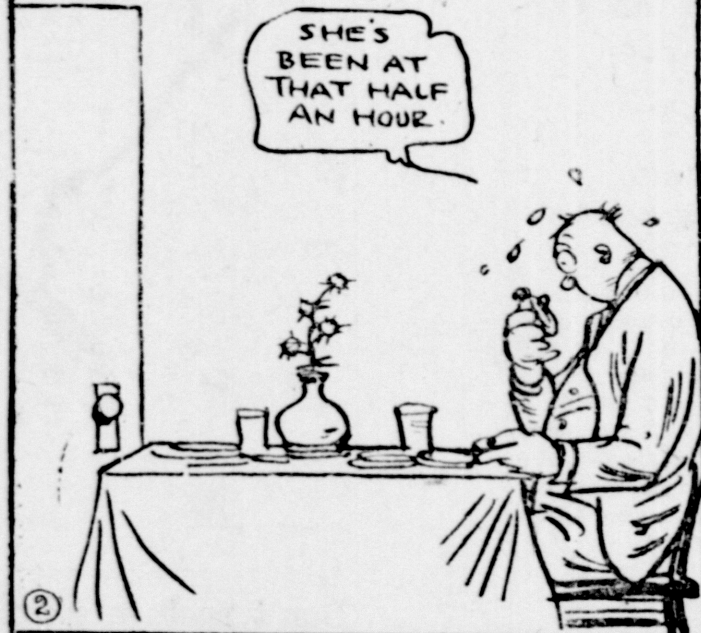
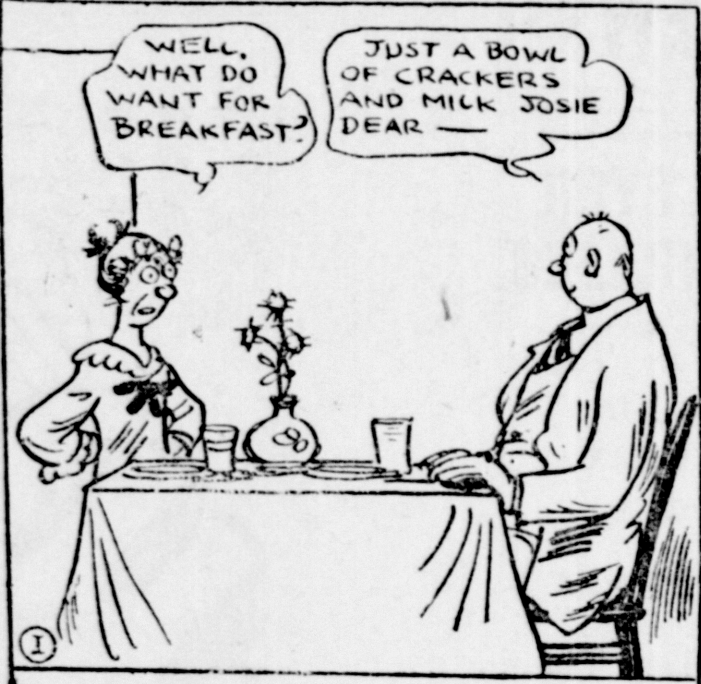
FOR RENT—Attractive rooms for men only. Every modern conveniences. Rates low. Y. M. C. A. building, Seventh and Main. 6 3 17

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 125 South Tenth street. 8 17 22

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern furnished rooms, suitable for man and wife, or gentlemen. 511 Vine street. 8 17 17

## GINK AND DINK

By C. A. Voight



FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. No. 524 South Sixth street. 8 12 17

FAR RENT—Furnished rooms. 209 South Fifth street. 8 17 23

FOR RENT—Ten room house. 223 Division, only \$15. 5 25 17

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, also small flat, strictly modern, with city heat, electric light and private bath. 618 Cass street. 8 12 17

FOR RENT—Small hotel; fixtures for sale if wanted. Address "Hotel," Tribune. 8 14 27

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 105 South Sixth. 6 10 17

WANTED—A pony carriage. Send particulars to Box 16, Hokah, Minn. 8 19 21

WANTED TO RENT—Blacksmith shop in a good small town. Address Shop, care of Tribune. 8 19 21

WANTED TO RENT—Small cottage, 4 room flat or part of house. Two in family. Address V., care of Tribune. 8 19 24

THE OFFICE of the Continental Casualty Insurance Co. will be moved Aug. 26 from 336 South Fifth street to 326 Jay street, new Gesell building. 8 19 24

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 8 19 24

WANTED TO TRADE—Good steel boat for second hand motorcycle. Will pay difference in cash. Must be bargain. Address Motorcycle, Tribune. 8 17 21

WANTED—Place to work for board and room while attending school. Let me call for an interview. R. A., Tribune. 8 16 19

WANTED TO RENT—Modern house and barn on or before Sept. 1. Address "House," care of Tribune. 8 16 19

MONEY LOANED on furniture; no publicity. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 5 22 17

ALL KINDS SEWING MACHINES repaired. Henry Kathary, expert. Phone 398-M. 8 3 92

Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs. 8 13 17

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION loans on real estate; \$5 a month pays \$500 in 149 months. 8 13 17

Architects, Superintendents

ANDREW ROTH—Successor to Schick & Roth, Architect and superintendent, La Crosse, Wis. 8 17 24

Lost

LOST—Locket on Twelfth between Jackson and Redfield. Finder please return to 1461 Redfield St. 8 17 24

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## DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit  
(Quoted by John C. Burns)

Bananas, per bunch. \$1.50 to \$3.00  
Oranges, per box. \$3.75 to \$4.50  
Lemons, Messina, per box. \$4.00  
Lemons, Cal., per box. \$4.50 to \$5.00  
Peaches, per box. \$2.25 to \$2.50  
Grapes, per crate. \$2.00 to \$2.25  
Plums, per crate. \$1.25 to \$1.50  
Cantaloupes, per basket. \$1.50 to \$2.00  
Peaches, Elbertas, bu. \$1.30 to \$1.50  
Sweet potatoes, bushel. \$2.00  
Cucumbers, hot house, doz. 15 to 20  
Tomatoes, per crate. \$5.00  
Celery, per bunch. \$2.00 to \$5.00

Livestock  
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)  
Hogs. \$6.75 to \$7.35  
Steers. \$3.00 to \$5.50  
Spring lambs. \$7.00  
Sheep. \$3.00  
Cows. \$2.00 to \$4.50  
Heifers. \$2.50 to \$4.75

Poultry  
Chickens. 9 1/2 to 10 1/2  
Spring chickens. 12 1/2 to 14c  
Turkeys, pound. 12 to 14c  
Ducks, pound. 11c  
Geese, pound. 9c

Provisions  
Lard, per pound. 12 1/2 to 13c  
Shoulders, per pound. 11c  
Hams, per pound. 14 1/2 to 15 1/2c  
Bacon, per pound. 14 1/2 to 18c  
Dry beef, per pound. 17 to 20c

Butter and Eggs  
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)  
Creamery butter, pound. 26 to 27c  
Dairy butter, pound. 22 to 24c  
Eggs, fresh, dozen. 19c  
Eggs, seconds, dozen. 16c

Flour  
(Quoted by Lister & Milling Co.)  
Patent, per barrel. \$5.70  
Straight, per barrel. \$5.50  
(Prices do not include sacks.)  
Bran, per ton. \$25.00  
Shorts. \$26.00  
White middlings, per ton. \$29.00  
Red Dog. \$30.00

Grain  
(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)  
Barley. 65 to 75c  
Corn. 50 to 55c  
Oats. 50 to 55c  
Wheat. 90c to \$1.05  
Rye. 63 to 65c

Cheese  
Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in cases. 14c  
Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in half cases. 14 1/2c  
Fancy full Cream Twins. 15 1/2c  
Fancy full Cream Limburger. 17c  
Fancy full Cream Swiss round. 22c

Fancy full Cream Swiss Block (old) Hand Cheese, per box. 90c

Thought for Women.  
When New York State forbade the sale of egret plumes the dealers in this horrible product went to Jersey. When Jersey joined New York they went to Philadelphia, where they are now carrying on a mail order business with women who think themselves beautiful by carrying on their heads a souvenir of a mother bird killed and her fledglings left to starve.—Syracuse Post-Standard.

Artesian Wells Long Known.  
Chinese have obtained water through the means of artesian wells for over a thousand years. One of the most famous wells in existence is that of Grenelle in the outskirts of Paris, where the water is brought from a depth of 1,796 feet. It yields 518 1/2 gallons of water a minute. A well in Pesh was sunk to the depth of 8,100 feet in the '70s.

Some people are so stingy that they have no fear of death, arguing that the longer they live the more it costs them.

# DAILY MARKET REPORT

## FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks  
NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The opening tone was steady and business during first fifteen minutes was active.

11 a. m.—Weakness developed in the coal stocks. Railroads and industrials shaded.

Governments unchanged; other bonds irregular.

Noon—There were slight rallies during the second hour and the tone was steadier.

2 p. m.—Prices were well maintained.

The stock market closed strong.

New York Money  
NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Money on call 2 1/2 per cent.

Time money 4 1/2 per cent for six months.

Bar Silver: London 28 11-16d; New York 62 1/2c.

Demand sterling 4.87.10.

Kansas City Livestock  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts 14,000; market steady; stronger; steers \$8.00 to \$9.00; cows and heifers \$3.50 to \$5.00; stockers and feeders \$3.50 to \$5.00; calves \$4.00 to \$8.25.

Hogs—Receipts 45,000; market strong; bulk \$8.25 to \$8.50; heavy \$8.10 to \$8.45; medium \$8.45 to \$8.57 1/2; light \$8.00 to \$8.50.

Sheep—Receipts 5,000; market steady; 15c lower; lambs \$6.00 to \$8.90; ewes \$3.00 to \$3.60; wethers and yearlings \$3.50 to \$4.15.

Chicago Livestock  
UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Aug. 19.—Hogs—Receipts 32,000; market slow, steady; mixed and butchers \$7.75 to \$8.60; good heavy \$7.85 to \$8.50; rough heavy \$7.65 to \$7.85; light \$8.05 to \$8.60; pigs \$5.75 to \$8.15.

Cattle—Receipts 18,000; market strong; beefs \$5.75 to \$10.50; cows and heifers \$2.65 to \$8.15; stockers and feeders \$4.25 to \$7.30; Texas \$5.00 to \$6.85; calves \$6.50 to \$9.75.

Sheep—Receipts 35,000; market steady; native \$3.15 to \$4.30; western \$3.30 to \$4.25; lambs \$4.25 to \$7.14; western \$4.75 to \$7.15.

Chicago Produce  
CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Butter—Extras 24c; firsts 23 1/2c; dairy extra 23c; firsts 22c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 19c; firsts 17c. Cheese—Twins 15 1/2 to 15 3/4c.

Young Americas 15 1/2 to 15 3/4c. Potatoes—70 to 80c.

Live Poultry—Fowls 13 to 13 1/2c; spring chicks 17 to 19c; ducks 10 to 12c; geese 9 to 10c; turkeys 12 to 12 1/2c.

Chicago Cash Grain  
CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.04 to \$1.06; No. 3 red 94c to \$1.02; No. 2 hard 95 to 96c; No. 3 hard 92 to 94c; No. 3 spring 94c to \$1.00.

Corn—No. 2 white 80 to 80 1/2c; No. 2 yellow 79 to 79 1/4c; No. 3, 78 to 78 1/4c; No. 3 white 79 to 79 1/2c; No. 3 yellow 78 1/2 to 79c; No. 4, 75 to 77 1/4c; No. 4 white 78 to 79c; No. 4 yellow 77 1/2 to 78 1/2c.

Oats—No. 3 white 32 1/2 to 33 1/4c; No. 4 white 32 to 32 1/2c; standard 33 to 33 1/4c.

Chicago Grain Letter  
CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Wet weather reports from the northwestern wheat belt caused a slight advance in prices at the opening today but the advance failed to hold and recessions in all grades were noted at

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noon. Foreign cables had little effect on today's market. The cables were strong, but foreign markets for the most part were steady.

Corn traders were divided as to the promise of the bull growing crops. New crop contracts depended entirely on climatic conditions and the crop thus far has been backward.

Oats opened higher, but the market developed a weaker tone a short time after the start.

Provisions were unchanged to fractionally lower.

WHEAT—  
Sept. . . . 93 3/4 94 93 1/4 93 1/4  
Dec. . . . 93 93 1/2 93 3/4 93 3/4

CORN—  
Sept. . . . 69 3/4 70 69 3/4 69 3/4  
Dec. . . . 54 54 53 3/4 53 3/4

OATS—  
Sept. . . . 32 3/4 32 3/4 31 3/4 31 3/4  
Dec. . . . 32 3/4 32 3/4 32 3/4 32 3/4

PORK—  
Sept. . . . 18.10 18.17 18.10 18.15  
Oct. . . . 18.17 18.27 18.15 18.17

LARD—  
Sept. . . . 11.00 11.02 10.97 10.97  
Oct. . . . 11.07 11.12 11.07 11.07

RIBS—  
Sept. . . . 10.



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## STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	75	31	.708
Chicago	71	38	.652
Pittsburg	65	42	.607
Philadelphia	53	55	.491
Cincinnati	52	59	.468
St. Louis	50	61	.450
Brooklyn	39	71	.355
Boston	30	78	.278
American League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	77	35	.688
Washington	69	44	.611
Philadelphia	67	44	.604
Chicago	55	56	.495
Detroit	55	60	.478
Cleveland	51	61	.455
New York	38	72	.345
St. Louis	36	76	.321
American Association			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Minneapolis	82	47	.636
Columbus	82	47	.636
Toledo	77	50	.606
Kansas City	62	65	.488
Milwaukee	60	65	.480
St. Paul	59	72	.451
Louisville	47	81	.367
Indianapolis	44	86	.346
Wisconsin-Illinois League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Racine	61	39	.610
Oshkosh	63	41	.606
Appleton	59	41	.590
Wausau	51	52	.495
Green Bay	48	54	.471
Rockford	47	55	.461
Aurora	40	60	.400
Madison	39	66	.371

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

**National League**  
Philadelphia, 10-1; Chicago, 6-5.  
New York, 11; St. Louis, 1.  
Boston, 5; Cincinnati, 4.

**American League**  
No games scheduled.

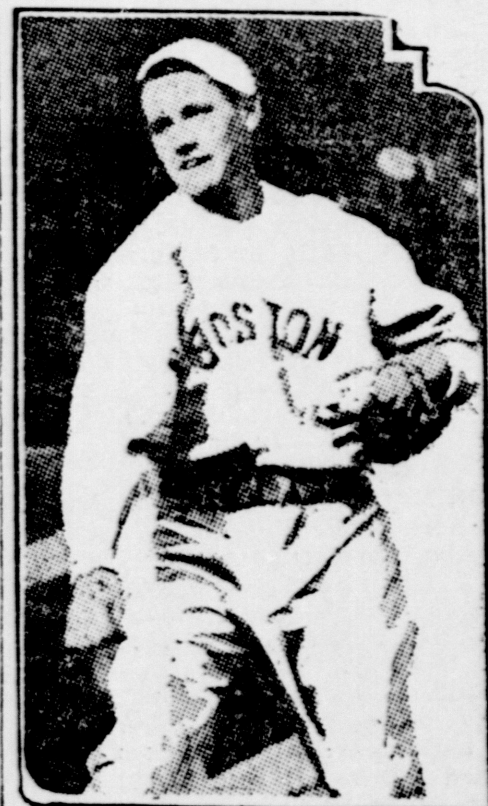
**American Association**  
Milwaukee, 5; Indianapolis, 3.  
Minneapolis, 8-0; Columbus, 1-1.  
Louisville, 5-4; Kansas City, 1-10.  
Toledo, 1-2; St. Paul, 0-3.

**Wisconsin-Illinois League**  
Oshkosh, 4-3; Madison, 1-2.  
Other games postponed.

**SATURDAY'S RESULTS**  
**National League**  
Boston, 3-2; St. Louis, 1-3.  
Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburg, 0.  
Chicago, 6; New York, 5.  
Cincinnati, 4; Brooklyn, 3.

**American League**  
Boston, 6; Detroit, 4.  
Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 4.  
Washington, 4; Cleveland, 1.  
New York, 16-7; St. Louis, 9-0.

**American Association**  
Milwaukee, 4; Indianapolis, 2.  
Kansas City, 6; Louisville, 4.  
Columbus, 7-9; Minneapolis, 5-2.

BOSTON GETS FLAG  
IF HE HOLDS OUT

Joe Wood.

If Joe Wood keeps up the wonderful pitching he has been delivering, Boston will have a cinch on the American league pennant. And that's not hard to figure out.

Toledo, 10-4; St. Paul, 4-5.  
**Wisconsin-Illinois League**  
Oshkosh, 3; Madison, 2.  
Green Bay, 5; Rockford, 2.  
Wausau, 4; Aurora, 2.  
Appleton, 5; Racine, 0.

## GAMES TODAY

**National League**  
Philadelphia at Chicago.  
New York at St. Louis.  
Brooklyn at Pittsburg.  
Boston at Cincinnati.

**American League**  
Louisville at Milwaukee.  
Indianapolis at Kansas City.  
Toledo at Minneapolis.  
Columbus at St. Paul.

**Wisconsin-Illinois League**  
Madison at Oshkosh.  
Rockford at Green Bay.  
Aurora at Wausau.  
Racine at Appleton.

## JAG KILLS COWS

OMRO, Wis., Aug. 19.—Eight choice young hereford cows on the farm of John David, near here, are dead today and six more are recovering from an unprecedented "jag" as the result of drinking fermented water drained from a rain-soaked corn silo. The unwitting bovines drank long and hearty, then zig-zagged through the pasture to the farm creek. Six were hauled out but the others perished.

## PASS CAMPAIGN LAW

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The senate today passed the house bill amending the campaign measure of 1910 and 1911. The measures require all statements to be sworn to.

## WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

The Cubs marked time in the double bill with the Phillies, winning and losing a game. The Phillies took the first ten to six and dropped the second, 1 to 5.

The subway champs rubbed it into the Reds, 5 to 4. A first inning batting rally put the decision on ice for the Boston Braves.

In the American league the teams loafed in strict adherence to the Sunday law in the east.

FERTILIZER DID IT  
STORY OF BIG CORN YIELD IN  
SOUTH CAROLINA IS ONLY  
HALF OF REAL  
TRUTH

The story of Jerry Moore's corn yield in South Carolina is again rampant in the land—the latest appearance being in the Chicago Tribune. Now the fact is that Jerry Moore raised a very large yield of corn on a very small area—and grew it from the fertilizer and not from the soil. This is the whole thing in a nutshell.

And in the south there are several states in which the promoters are parading figures of immense yield produced in the same way. In fact when the cost of purchased fertilizer is taken into account and the labor involved is put upon a northern basis, the crop in most instances is grown at an actual loss.

The promoters state merely the yields produced, leaving out the data as to the fertilizer used and the labor involved. If they would state all the facts, the stories would lose their force.

Again, we read about the increase in the yield of the cotton crop in many of the southern states, but we seldom see the fact stated that the four states of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia used in 1909 more than \$50,000,000 worth of purchased fertilizer.

It behooves the northern reader of southern literature to see to it that all the facts are considered.

## INDIANS AMBUSH FEDERALS

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 19.—Reports reached here today that 200 federal soldiers have been ambushed and killed by Serrano Indians in a canyon in the state of Oaxaca. Eight hundred federals were sent to investigate an Indian uprising at Xia. They were hospitably received by the Indians and the officers were banqueting. Returning from Xia the federals were ambushed by their late hosts. The Indians turned a murderous fire on the federals and 200 troopers were slain before they were driven off.

## DISAPPOINT CULBERSON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Senator Culbertson of Texas Saturday afternoon failed to obtain from his senate an agreement to vote on his bill, prohibiting corporations to contribute to campaign funds and prohibiting individual contributions of over \$5,000. The measure carried penalties of 1,000 fine or one year in jail for violations of the first clause and \$10,000 or two years in jail for the latter.

## SPORT NEWS

CUBS BREAK EVEN  
WITH THE PHILLIES

Both Sides Use Three Pitchers in the First Game; Rixey Loses the Second

## GIANTS BEAT THE CARDINALS

New York Has Easy Time Giving St. Louis an 11 to 1 Beating Yesterday

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia, 10-1; Chicago, 6-5.  
CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—The Cubs and Phillies broke even in a double header here yesterday, the visitors taking the first game 10 to 6, and the Cubs the second 5 to 1. In the first contest both sides used three pitchers. All were wild and between them allowed seventeen passes. Rixey lost the second battle in the sixth when he made a wild throw, allowed two hits and let the Cubs score three runs. Scores:

First game— R H E  
Philadelphia .103110013—10 9 1  
Chicago .102030000—6 7 3  
Batteries: Seaton, Shutz, Rixey, Doolin and Killifer; Smith, Lavender, Reulbach, Cotter and Archer.

Second game— R H E  
Philadelphia .000001000—1 8 0  
Chicago .10000310x—5 5 0  
Batteries: Rixey, Shultz and Killifer; Cheney and Archer.

New York, 11; St. Louis, 1.  
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—The Cardinals proved easy for the Giants in the first game of the series yesterday, New York winning 11 to 1. Marquard pitched for the Giants and was very effective, allowing only five hits in eight innings. The Giants got off to a flying start on Konetchy's error, a misplay by Geyer and two hits that did not leave the infield. Konetchy made two hits in four times at bat. Score: R H E

New York .202023200—11 15 1  
St. Louis .000100000—1 7 4  
Batteries: Marquard, Kirby, Meyers and Wilson; Geyer, Griner, Wingo and Snyder.

Boston, 5; Cincinnati, 4.  
CINCINNATI, Aug. 19.—The Reds had a bad first inning yesterday, supporting Benton poorly and allowing Boston to make four runs and the visitors won 5 to 4. Score: R H E

Boston .410000000—5 8 0  
Cincinnati .020200000—4 9 2  
Batteries: Kroh, Dickson, Tyler and Rariden; Benton, Humphries and Clark.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Milwaukee, 5; Indianapolis, 3.  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 19.—The Brewers got after Schardt, pitching his first game for the Indians, for ten hits and a 5 to 3 victory. Score: R H E

Milwaukee .00121100x—5 10 0  
Indianapolis .000100200—3 9 3  
Batteries: Nicholson and Block; Schardt and McKee.

Minneapolis, 8-0; Columbus, 1-1.  
MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 19.—The Millers and the Senators are still tied for the leadership in the pennant fight. Before a crowd that taxed the capacity of the park the teams split even in a double header Sunday afternoon, the Millers whaling the life out of two Columbus pitchers in the first game, and winning 8 to 1. In the second contest Cook shut out the locals with three hits. Score: R H E

First game— R H E  
Columbus .000000100—1 5 0  
Minneapolis .10160000x—8 10 0  
Batteries: McConaughy, Bruck, Smith and Murphy; Olmstead and Owens.

Second game— R H E  
Columbus .000010000—1 6 0  
Minneapolis .000000000—0 3 0  
Batteries: Cooke and Smith; Young and Owens.

Toledo, 1-2; St. Paul, 0-3.  
ST. PAUL, Aug. 19.—The Hens and the Saints had two bitter battles here yesterday, the Hens taking the first contest, 1 to 0, after ten innings. The home team won the



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closing contest, 3 to 2. Scores:

First game— R H E  
Toledo .000000000—1 8 0  
St. Paul .000000000—0 1 1  
Batteries: George and Land; Rieger and Marshall.

Second game— R H E  
Toledo .100001000—2 8 2  
St. Paul .00020100x—3 5 1  
Batteries: Collamore and Land; Gardner and Marshall.

Louisville, 5-4; Kansas City, 1-10.  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 19.—The Colonels and the Blues halved a double header here yesterday, the visitors taking the first contest, 5 to 1, and dropping the second, 10 to 4, after five innings. Scores:

First game— R H E  
Louisville .011001002—5 10 2  
Kansas City .000010000—1 6 3  
Batteries: Clemmons and Schlei; Schlitzer, Gallia and O'Conner.

Second game— R H E  
Louisville .00220—4 10 0  
Kansas City .0011x—10 9 1  
Batteries: Maddox, Richter and Ludwig; Dessau and James. Game called because of darkness.

## PERU VOTES UNDER GUARD

LIMA, Peru, Aug. 19.—Following Guillermo Billinghurst's election as president, Peru is voting for two vice presidents today. Mindful of the bloody rioting, which marked the last election, the government is holding a strong military force in readiness.

world's champions.

Rumor has it that next season will see a baseball league organized in La Crosse with all the fraternal orders in the city represented by ball teams. Although the plan has been widely discussed no definite plans for next year have been made but it is thought that the Elks, U. C. T., K. of C., F. R. A., Yeomen, Woodmen, and others will join this league and play series with each team.

ELKS BEAT U. C. T.  
BY 16 TO 1 SCORE

Getting a flying start by counting seven tallies in the third round, the Elks handed the U. C. T. baseball team a 16 to 1 defeat when the teams met at League park yesterday afternoon. The Elks hit the ball hard, while the travelers were unable to solve the delivery of Hackner, who pitched six rounds, or Padesky, who was on the slab during the last three innings.

The seven runs made by the Elks in the third stanza practically settled the game. It gave them a big lead and the travelers were unable to overcome it, as they could not hit Hackner. Hackner and Padesky did the twirling for the Elks, with Burns and a flock of kids doing the catching, while Weigel and Bott were the battery for the U. C. T.

## TWO BITS IS REAL MONEY TO BEN!

BY CARL ED

